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## Storms Behind Record Set By Previous Years

Precipitation Here is Still  
Six Inches Less  
Than '51

The first major storm of the season swept over this region last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, leaving 13 inches of snow at Truckee, 40 inches on Donner Summit and 24 inches at Lake Tahoe.

Considerable damage was caused to telephone and power lines as the snow was extremely heavy. Telephone communication to Tallac at the south end of Lake Tahoe was restored only Monday after poles and trees fell under the weight of snow and ice. Nearly every exchange at Tahoe was effected by the storm, Howard Newsham, manager for the Pacific Telephone Company, said.

A lean-to shed in front of the rest rooms at Ralph Rowton's Standard station at Soda Springs is believed to be the first structure in the area to collapse under snow. The shed came crashing down Saturday morning but did not cause much damage although Rowton's jeep was parked under the protection of the building.

The United States Forest Service here reported precipitation for the storm totaled 2.98 inches which brings the seasonal total to 3.56 inches since September 1, as compared to 9.49 inches on November 30 last year and a normal of 3.78 inches to November 30.

Following the storm, the skies cleared and below normal temperatures prevailed with the mercury dropping to a minimum of 10 above for three days. Warm sunshine prevailed through the day-time, however.

With the exception of a snarl in traffic Thursday morning, the highways were kept open but chains were required for several days over Donner Pass. The traffic snarl tied up travel on Donner Grade for four hours when a truck skidded and blocked the road.

The storm eliminated all immediate danger of forest fires.

## COOPERATION OF PARENTS SOUGHT BY LOCAL P. T. A.

Although the weather conspired to keep some people at home last Thursday, the regular meeting of the Tahoe-Truckee High School PTA was held as planned. It was called to order by the president, Mrs. Zula Rablin. The band members wore their new, well-tailored uniforms and had a professional air in the gay, red and gray gabardines which were complete with band hats. After playing several numbers under the direction of Robert Appleton, the players were served refreshments.

Superintendent E. V. O'Rourke, assisted by George Bergen, Mrs. Janet Briggs and Lynn Kishbaugh, talked with the group regarding parent-teacher conferences. Letters are being sent to each family, inviting them to come to the school on certain evenings to confer with their child's Core teacher to determine what more can be accomplished.

If any parent wishes to talk with teachers other than the Core teacher, there is a space on the return letter to so indicate.

This type of cooperative planning has been successful for many years in other communities.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Giovannoni, Mrs. Elden Tonini and Mrs. Emily Bergmans. Others on the refreshment committee were Mrs. E. L. Loynd, Mrs. J. M. Rablin and Mrs. W. Smisek.

There will be an executive meeting tonight in the school cafeteria to plan for the December meeting's jitney dinner and cake auction.

## BIRTH RECORDS FOR HOSPITAL

An added inducement for babies to be born in the Tahoe Forest Hospital was provided this week by Administrator John Wardman.

The hospital is now issuing an attractive birth record, complete with statistics, certification and a photo of the newborn and the hospital's official seal. The folders are designed for permanent records.

## David Ayala is Feted At Birthday Party

David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ayala of Floriston, celebrated his 8th birthday on November 11 at a weiner roast, the repast being completed with a chocolate cake and ice cream. The boys who shared the gifts and games with David were Jim Osburn, Dick Ingalls, Ronnie Germain and J. C. Roberson. The latter was an overnight guest at the Ayala home.

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## DuPont Official Will Speak Soon At Rotary Meet

The Rotary Clubs of Truckee, Tahoe City, Brockway and South Tahoe will hold a joint inter-city meet at Homewood Hotel Monday evening, November 24, at 7:00 o'clock to hear an address by Dr. Walter A. Dew of the public relations department of the E. I. DuPont DeNemours & Co.

Dr. Dew, a native of Wilmington, Delaware, and receiving his doctor of philosophy degree from Princeton University, has been a research chemist for many years. He is a member of many chemical societies and research institutions, holding several patents in the chemical field. It was in January, 1951, that he was in this area, speaking to a joint meeting of the Truckee Lions and Rotary clubs.

Also on the program for the evening's activities will be Mrs. Dorothy Stice, vocalist, accompanied at the piano by William Englehart Jr.

The Tahoe City Rotarians will be the hosts, with the Truckee club supplying the program.

## LAST RITES FOR FLORENCE SLADE SATURDAY AT 2

TAHOE CITY—Funeral services will be held at the Truckee Colonial Mortuary Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. Florence Slade, Tahoe City, who expired last night, on the eve of her 46th birthday.

Rev. A. A. Carmichael will officiate and interment will be in the Tahoe City cemetery.

Mrs. Slade was a native of Sisikyou County but had resided at Tahoe for many years and was postmaster at Tahoma. For some time, she and her husband, Henry Slade, operated the telephone exchange at Homewood during the winter months. The latter is a caretaker in the Tahoe area and both he and Mrs. Slade are widely and favorably known.

## \$20,497 IN BANK CHRISTMAS FUND BEING DISBURSED

An early sign of Christmas season's approach, the distribution of \$3 Bank of America Christmas Club checks totaling \$20,497 to residents of the Truckee and Lake Tahoe areas was disclosed by R. E. Saunders Jr., branch manager here.

Saunders said that the end-of-the-year checks were sent out November 15—earlier than in previous years—in order to beat seasonal mail and shopping rushes.

Bank of America is distributing 300,000 checks totaling \$33,000,000 to club members throughout California this year, according to the branch manager. It is a new record for savings programs of this kind.

Saunders added that enrollments for the 1953 Christmas Club are now being accepted at the bank.

## ZONE MEETING OF LIONS CLUB HELD

Colfax, Grass Valley, Lake Tahoe and Nevada City were represented at last night's joint meeting of the Lions Clubs of this area when Harold Miller of Grass Valley, zone chairman, made his official visit to the Truckee club. The meeting was held at Donner Lake Lodge and Angelo Besio presided.

Following the regular meeting, during which Miller spoke, a meeting of presidents and secretaries of the various clubs represented, was held under the direction of the zone chairman. Sgt. Stanley Songer Jr. was a guest of the Truckee club.

## 20-30 DANCE IS SET DECEMBER 6

Members of the Truckee 20-30 Club have scheduled a benefit dance to be held at Capitol Hall Saturday, December 6. A four-piece orchestra has been engaged to provide the music.

Proceeds from the dance will go toward various community projects sponsored by the club.



CONGRATULATIONS—Some 100 telephone employees gathered recently in Reno to view presentation of service emblems to 15 employees having a total of 240 years of telephone service. Among those honored was Stanley E. Zwarg of Truckee, who has 15 years of telephone service. Zwarg (right) receives congratulations from his supervisor, V. L. Wickstrom of Reno.

## Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

Organized sports at the Tahoe-Truckee high school can do a lot to foster school and community spirit and should be encouraged by adults. The basketball teams next Wednesday will play on local court against the Roseville quint and a large public response will go a long way to show the boys they have the support of their district.

A bouquet this week to the several loyal publicity chairmen of various local organizations who have volunteered to report activities of their groups during the years. They have recorded with the Sierra Sun news of neighborly events past and future, giving detail but omitting the unimportant personal grievances and opinions which are sure to arise at times. We wish to express sincere thanks for their cooperation.

With the first snowfall a matre came to our attention which we think should be stopped immediately. That is youngsters using steep streets intersecting with Highway 40 as coasting areas. The streets often provide ideal conditions for sleds, but the practice is extremely dangerous as vehicles using the highway may not be able to stop in time on slippery pavement to avoid a tragedy.

Plan now to make this a trade at home Christmas. Your local merchant can satisfy your wishes and give you that friendly, personal service at lower than average prices.

## Mrs. Kaler Will Aid Tuesday Club

Naida Gilmore Hayes, who has spoken before the Wyethia Club here, is scheduled to appear before the Tuesday Club of Sacramento Thursday, December 11. Her topic will be "Holiday Decorating" and will emphasize the Christmas season.

Tickets will be \$1 including tea and proceeds will go for the building fund. Mrs. Ed Kaler, Truckee summer resident, said she will be happy to handle reservation requests from any local women who wish to attend. Her Sacramento address is 3016 32nd Street.

## Fire Department Out For Chimney Blaze

The Truckee Volunteer Fire Department responded to an alarm at 1 a.m. Wednesday to the Sierra Guest House on River Street. The fire evidently started from an overheated chimney. It was controlled quickly and damage was slight.

## License Issued—

Verna J. May of Truckee and Kenneth E. Morgan of North Sacramento were granted a license to marry at Reno last weekend.

Rabbits to Roseville—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Rablin are returning to Roseville today. Their house here will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rablin.

## Woodland Man Named District Board Member

Paul R. Leake, a staunch Democrat and publisher of the Woodland Democrat in Yolo County, has been named by Republican Governor Earl Warren to replace Jerrold L. Seawell as a member of the powerful state board of equalization at a salary of \$14,000 annually.

Leake for the past 13 years has served as collector of customs for the Port of San Francisco, a Democratic plum issued by the Roosevelt administration.

The Yolo publisher was not a candidate for the position to which he was appointed Monday by Warren.

Although Leake's paper has always supported the New Deal and Fair Deal administrative policies and candidates, it did deviate from the Democratic path and supported Warren in the last state election.

Seawell, a Republican, resigned his post on the board just one day prior to his death in Los Angeles last month. A score of applicants were seeking the post left vacant by Seawell's death and the appointment of Leake came as a surprise to a great many of the aspirants. The board of equalization now has two Republican and two Democratic members.

## RANGER EXPLAINS WHY NO PERMITS FOR TREES GIVEN

E. E. Boehm, Truckee district forest ranger, this week explained why it is no longer possible for the forest service to issue permits to individuals for cutting Christmas trees.

In the first place, Boehm said, there is very little forest service land in this area that is accessible where there are trees.

"Each year," Boehm said, "we have been issuing 500 to 1,000 tree permits and this constitutes a large number of trees. To continue this practice would work a hardship on private land owners as many would cut the first tree they found and within a short time every living tree would be cut along roads, whether it was a good tree or not, with no regard for good forest practice."

To make it possible for the Boy Scouts plan on setting up a lot near the high school and others might contact private owners to satisfy their needs.

## ROSEVILLE WILL PLAY BASKETBALL GAME WEDNESDAY

The A and B basketball teams from Roseville Joint Union High School will be guests of the A and B basketball teams of Tahoe-Truckee High School Wednesday evening, November 26, at the Tahoe-Truckee High School gymnasium. The game is scheduled to start at 7:00 p.m.

Boys playing on the A team are Ray Dixon, Bob Tonini, Dave Wagner, Joe Copeland, John Moore, Lester Lazzari, Charlie Smith and Sheldon Jones.

The B team players are Jerry Quam, Louie Ramirez, Dallas Marquis, Bill McClain and Bill Port.

## Driver Held As Drunk As Four Hurt In Mishap

Others Are Hurt as Roads  
Icy Following  
Storm

Erastus Snow Haws Jr., 40, 2291 Euclid Avenue, Palo Alto, is being held under \$2,000 bail, charged with driving while intoxicated and causing an accident in which three San Francisco people were injured.

Haws was arrested by State Patrolman William Gautsche on Sunday morning, shortly before noon, after the former's car and one occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Seifried and Mr. and Mrs. D. Fuller collided near Floriston. All those involved in the mishap were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital and later released.

Sergeant Frank Smith of the Highway patrol said Haws admitted two previous convictions of drunk driving. He was also cited for driving with his operator's license suspended.

Arraigned before Judge Foster Wilson Monday, Haws was held under bail awaiting a preliminary hearing on the felony charge.

Car in Canyon

Two Palo Alto men, William Brown and Fred Henderson, each about 21, escaped serious injuries when the car driven by the former skidded and went over the embankment near Floriston and plunged 100 feet or more into the canyon.

The accident occurred Sunday morning.

The men were taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital by division of highway employees where it was found Henderson had a broken collar bone but Brown escaped with bruises and shock.

Other Mishaps

The recent storm was held responsible for a car driven by Fred Schmidt of Galt getting out of control and crashing into the guard rail at Hirschdale Friday evening. State Patrolman Martin Sturcke cited the driver for not using due caution. Schmidt was taken to the hospital here for treatment and later released.

Edwin Hallenbarton, 18, Truckee, lost control of his car at the intersection of Spring Street and Highway 40 Saturday night and the vehicle crashed into a parked truck. Hallenbarton was cited by Patrolman Sturcke for speeding.

## RENO DRIVER IS CREDITED WITH SAVING MOTORIST

It was revealed this week by Wes Carson, road supervisor for the Lang Transportation Company, that it was John Krizmanich, 381 Stewart Street, Reno, driver of one of the firm's tank trucks, who was responsible for saving the life of Mrs. Julia McPherrin of Marysville following an automobile accident on Donner Grade ten days ago.

Mrs. McPherrin was bleeding to death from a severed artery in her left arm when Krizmanich stopped and applied a tourniquet. Hospital attaches said this action undoubtedly saved the woman's life.

Krizmanich continued on his way after treating the woman and his name was not immediately learned.

## William Schulls Back From Colorado Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. William Schull returned last week from Steamboat Springs, Colorado, after attending funeral services for Mrs. Nan Duncan, mother of Mrs. Schull. Mrs. Duncan had been in ill health for some time. Schull is employed here by the Southern Pacific.

## Officer Gautsche Called As Wreck Case Witness

State Patrolman and Mrs. William Gautsche were in San Francisco Monday where the former was a witness in a civil action. The case was the result of a Greyhound bus accident on Donner Summit which was investigated by the officer.

## Body Of Former Local Phone Man Found In Lake

An 11-months search for Conn Magennis, 52, widely known Reno and Truckee telephone company employee, ended Monday with the discovery of his body and car in the Cresta Dam intake near Quincy, Plumas County.

Magennis disappeared last December 31 en route to Reno from Sacramento where he had been visiting his brothers while on a two weeks vacation.

It was at first feared that the popular Magennis had met with foul play as he was carrying approximately \$400 in cash but Sheriff Melvin Scholer of Plumas County said the money was found on the body.

The car was discovered by Pacific Gas and Electric Company workmen when they lowered the water in the reservoir to make repairs. The auto had rested under 75 feet of water and the window had been shattered from the inside, indicating the victim's futile efforts to escape.

Magennis was returning to Reno over the Feather River route because of the condition of Highway 40. It is presumed that he lost control of the vehicle on the road because of snow and ice and the vehicle plunged off the steep embankment.

The victim often worked in the Truckee-Tahoe area, where he had many friends.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE GROUP WILL HOLD HOLIDAY SERVICES

A Thanksgiving Day service will be held on Thursday, November 27, in all Christian Science churches in the United States. The Truckee Group of Christian Scientists will hold services in the Wyethia Club edifice at 11 a.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, provided for the Thanksgiving Day service in Christian Science churches and designated the order to be followed. The Thanksgiving Day Proclamation is read and a short Lesson-Sermon prepared.

Time for testimonies by Christian Scientists, appropriate for the occasion, will be allowed toward the close of the service. These spontaneous expressions of thanks for healing and freedom are always inspiring.

The spirit of the Christian Science Thanksgiving Day service is expressed in the following statement, included in the special service for next Thursday, from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mrs. Eddy:

"If Mind was first chronologically, is first potentially, and must be first eternally, then give to Mind the glory, honor, dominion, and power everlastingly due its holy name."

## MANY INSECTS IN CARS SEIZED AT TRUCKEE STATION

Aside from the heavy record traffic check at the Truckee quarantine station during the past summer, the inspectors there have been busy intercepting contraband materials, Orval Vaughan, inspector in charge, reports.

During September alone there were more than 1,000 lots of plant materials refused entry into the state. Of these 1,000 lots, 108 were actually infested with live insects. Most of the insects found were of the nature that, if allowed to become established in the state, would cost millions of dollars in damage to growers of agricultural products, Vaughan said.

Some of the more important insects that the quarantine inspectors intercepted were 36 lots of apple maggots, three lots of plum curculio, two lots of European corn borer, one lot of sweet potato weevil, one lot of cotton boll weevil and one lot of Japanese beetle. All these pests do tremendous damage in that part of the country east of the continental divide but do not occur in California as yet, Vaughan said.

## Ill at Home—

Jack Wolert is confined to his home with influenza this week.

## Truckee Travel Leads Over All Border Routes

Traffic Over Forty Nearly  
Four Times That  
Of 50

Although travel into California during October by way of Highway 40 was down more than 10,000 vehicles as compared with September, it was nearly double any of the other 18 stations, with the exception of Yermo, and was more than four times the amount recorded for Highway 50.

These facts were revealed in the monthly report from the state department of agriculture which showed 37,018 cars, 3,257 trucks and 633 buses, with a total passenger count of 126,348 were checked at the Truckee station. Added to these figures were 1,110 cars with 2,943 passengers checked at the Brockway station which also routes vehicles over Highway 40. At the Meyers Station on Highway 50, 9,708 cars, 329 trucks and one bus were checked with a passenger total of 23,926.

Yermo, the highest of the stations, reported 47,524 cars, 2,323 trucks and 379 buses, with a passenger total of only 125,570 or 3,721 less than the passengers who entered through Truckee and Brockway.

Truckee's new station, now nearing completion just west of Gateway Park, is expected to be open in the near future. This will eliminate the Brockway station, now located two miles south of Highway 40 on Highway 89.

## MARIE STREET NAMED MATRON OF LOCAL LODGE

Truckee Chapter 116, O.E.S., membership elected Marie Street as worthy matron and James McIver as worthy patron at the meeting held Tuesday evening, with installation to be held early in December.

Ida Crandall and Stanley Zwarg are the retiring high officers of the chapter.

Other new elective officers included Dorothy King, associate matron; Daniel Anderson, associate patron; Louise Anderson, secretary; Katherine Corona, treasurer; Hilda Hintz, conductress; Mary Stark, associate conductress. A committee of men served refreshments following the business meeting.

## Special Boards Named To Canvass Votes

Two special election boards have been appointed by the Nevada County board of supervisors to meet tomorrow at 9 a.m. to canvass the absentee ballots cast at the recent general election. On Saturday the board meets to canvass the vote and declare the results in the election, although no change is anticipated in the unofficial results.

## HORSE CASE IS STILL INVOLVED

A motion to set aside the horse theft information lodged against Andy Ben Nichols was filed in Nevada County superior court by his attorney, Harold Berliner of Nevada City.

The motion says Nichols owns the horse he is accused of stealing and it also says that a purported bill of sale indicating he parted with ownership of the horse was erroneously admitted into evidence in justice court at Truckee.

## Birthdates Observed At Truckee School

Miss Patricia Meddaugh, teacher of kindergarten here, observed her birthdate on November 18 and two of her pupils, Stephen Van Sickle and Larry Bergen, were feted at a school party Wednesday, November 12, as their natal dates occurred this month.

## Annual Dinner Party For Wyethia Club

Members of the Wyethia Women's Club will congregate for a dinner meeting at Donner Lake Lodge tomorrow evening at 7:30. The event has become an annual affair at which the incoming officers are installed.

## Woman's Society Bazaar Successful

The Woman's Society of Christian Service reports a tidy sum was cleared in its annual bazaar, held in the Community Methodist Church basement last Friday.

Credit for the success was given to those who worked so hard toward it and to those who so generously supported the effort.



## NORTH TAHOE

by THELMA BURROUGHS

Last rites were held at St. Albert's Catholic Church in Reno on Tuesday for Mathias Joseph (Max) Leipertz, 45, owner and operator of The Beachcombers at Kings Beach, who expired last Thursday night after a brief illness. Burial was in the Reno Catholic cemetery and the Truckee Colonial Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

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## Haitian Expert Benefits from U.N. Fellowship



This year, the United Nations and its Specialized Agencies are offering more than 2500 fellowships, scholarships and other opportunities for international training. Above, Pierre Milord, of Haiti, who learned modern irrigation methods in Algeria under the U.N. Fellowship Program is shown putting his newly acquired knowledge to use in the major Arribonite Valley drainage and irrigation project. The island Republic will thus obtain more land for cultivation.

Leipertz had been ill with an attack of flu and had been warned to keep to his bed. Stress of business, however, resulted in him returning to work and he was stricken with pneumonia and this, coupled with a coronary condition, caused his death.

A native of Germany, he came to this country in 1928 and to Lake Tahoe, with his wife, Virginia, in May of 1950 when they purchased the Cables from Don and Grace Bowman, making many changes in the place and opening it as The Beachcombers on July 8 of that year. Since then, Max and Virginia have continued to expand their interests at the lake until at the time of his death they were associated with The Kon Tiki Club on the south end and were operating the Village Corner in Kings Beach, having closed their Beach-

comber Club for the winter.

Mrs. Leipertz's mother, Mrs. Carrie Pyles, brother Raymond and son, Gene Clifford, all of St. Louis, Mo., are in the U.S. this bereavement. Also Max's daughter, Gloria Childers of Los Angeles, arrived Monday for the services. Rosary was held at the Truckee Colonial Mortuary at 8 p. m. Monday.

This community was shocked and saddened by Max's sudden passing and sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Glunt of Kings Beach are to leave for Florida this week after spending a couple of days with their daughter in Fallon. The Glunts will be in Florida for some time with their two sons, where Glunt expects to build a new home for one of them.

Among the other speakers at the Lake Tahoe-Sierra Chamber of Commerce's tax problems panel in Tahoe City Thursday night, November 20, will be Supervisor Frank Paoli who represents the northeast part of California's Lake Tahoe area and the Highway 40 east part of Placer County.

Harry Stubley, Kings Beach realtor, plans to spend the winter months at Auburn where he can more easily attend all meetings of the county planning commission of which he is a member. While the Stubley real estate office is closed during the winter, his associate, Donald Russell Reid will be located at Reno.

The former Caroline Eddy of Kings Beach, now Mrs. W. B. Hogan of Lubbock, Texas, has sold her home to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Evans also of Kings Beach. The realtor handling this sale is Mrs. D. C. Barnett of Bonnie Beach Resort.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service served a delicious turkey dinner to many satisfied diners at the Carpenters Hall last Saturday night. After all expenses were paid, the ladies announce a

net profit of over \$100 which is to be added to the building fund.

The Buckhorn Inn was the scene of dancing localites last Saturday night. They also enjoyed another of Theresa's lovely buffets.

Then, to the Carpenter's Hall following the big dinner, came the Tahoe Twirlers for their evening of social activity. This club now has 18 members, the original group includes Steve and Lillian Port, Jerry and Jean Little, Gene and Frances Thompson, John and Sophia Levra to which has been added in 1952 memberships by Kay and Otis Wing, Charles and Betty Ritch, Ray and Dian Finnigan, Dr. George Hahn of Truckee, Miss Pat O'Brien of Truckee, Dr. and Mrs. Oliver Seow of Truckee.

As guests of the Tahoe Twirlers last Saturday night were the Squarenaders of south Lake Tahoe and Robert Appleton of Truckee, head of the music department in Tahoe-Truckee schools. The North Tahoe group meet each Saturday night. Those who are interested in folk and square dancing are welcome as guests. If after the first visit, there is sufficient interest, eligible applicants should contact one of the members for further information. The requirement is that each member must have his or her dance partner. The program is for adults only.

Bob Mercer is at home from Letterman General Hospital on a full month's leave. As you will remember, Bob was injured on the Korean front some time ago. He gets around beautifully on two sticks and flashes a big smile for all the world like the Bob of pre-Korean war days.

Norman King was at home with his parents, Dorothy and Bert King of Kings Beach over last weekend. Norman will be stationed at Mare Island during the holidays and hopes to get home for Christmas or New Year Eve.

Bill Walker is out of the hospital following an injury received during a football game between Tahoe-Truckee High School and Chester a few weeks ago. Bill appears to be doing all right.

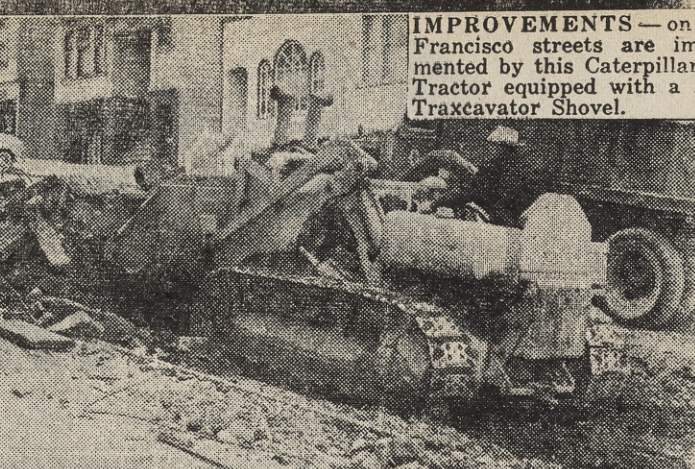
Ed Starr, former Tahoeite, is reported up and about following an accident which resulted in a broken ankle suffered while on a recent duck hunting trip.

The Lake Tahoe Archery Club has nearly 100 paid up members but only a dozen or so that take active interest during the winter months. Those members who are staying in and active meet each Wednesday night at the Gun Club.

I always thought of archery as a person with a bow and arrow aiming at the bull's eye in the center of a lot of rings on cardboard attached to a bale of hay. Well, this archery group has added something new. Did you ever play archery poker or golf? They do and report it to be a lot of fun. If you are interested in a membership, initiation fee is \$1.50 plus a contribution of 50 cents at each meeting attended to help defray expenses of heating and refreshments.

The North Tahoe Woman's Club will hope to see all of you Friday night, November 21, at the Carpenters Hall in Kings Beach in order for their program to be a huge success. Don't forget, those girls can put on a skit that will bring forth your chuckles. A good laugh is worth something these days, too. There'll be prizes and

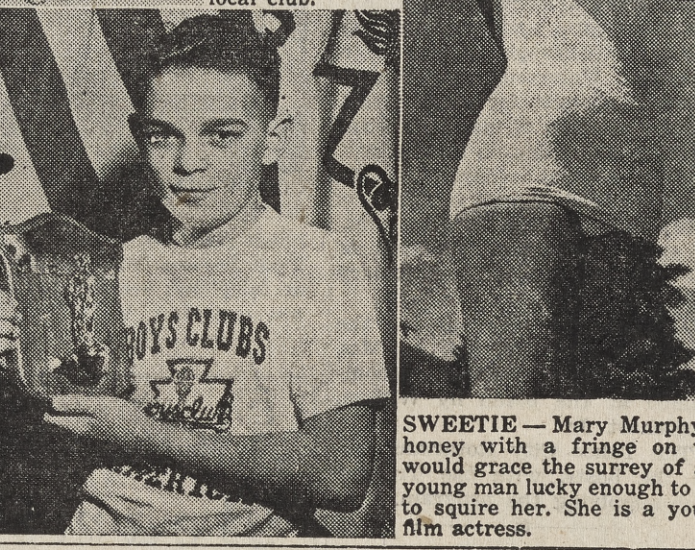
## NATIONAL VIEWS & NEWS



**IMPROVEMENTS**—on San Francisco streets are implemented by this Caterpillar D4 Tractor equipped with a HT4 Traxcavator Shovel.



**DEANNA**—has a face only a mother could love, but this 10-day-old Macedonian pigmy donkey prances about her London Zoo home like a ballerina. Below: Philip McDonald, 12, of Arlington, Mass., was named "Boy of the Year" by the Boys' Clubs of America because of his leadership in his local club.



**SWEETIE**—Mary Murphy, a honey with a fringe on top, would grace the survey of any young man lucky enough to get to squire her. She is a young film actress.

an auction at which you will have a chance at that little red wagon, a deep fryer, a gorgeous doll and a nice fat pig just right for a good feast. Bring the family!

December 13th has been set for the Fireman's Ball at Joby Lewis' Cal-Vada Lodge. Tickets will be circulating soon. More information next week.

Kings Beach PTA held its executive board meeting at the school house last Thursday afternoon.

Carol and Gene Howard are the happy hosts of Gene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Howard of Waterville, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Howard drove out following the southern route and stopping in Missouri to visit a few days with Gene's brother, Dean, before coming west to our beautiful Lake of the Skies. Accompanying them are friends, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Bailey whom the Howards have taken to Eugene, Oregon, for a visit with their children. From there the Baileys will return to Maine while the Howards will come back to Kings Beach for an

## Grass Valley Area Road Accidents Data

**SACRAMENTO**—(C. N. S.)—The increase in the number of rural traffic deaths and injuries throughout California was partially reflected in the Grass Valley area during the first nine months of this year, according to figures released by the state highway patrol.

Patrolmen in the area recorded five deaths and 102 injuries, compared with two deaths and 115 injuries during the 1951 January-to-September period. Accidents resulting in injury numbered 71, compared with 74 during the corresponding period a year ago.

extended visit with Carol and Gene.

Wilma Lucas and daughter Susan left Thursday to keep an appointment with an eye specialist in Roseville.

A meeting of the North Tahoe Fire Commissioners was held jointly with an executive board meeting of the North Tahoe Community Club last Tuesday night at the North Tahoe Public Utility District office.

## Truckee Group of Christian Scientists

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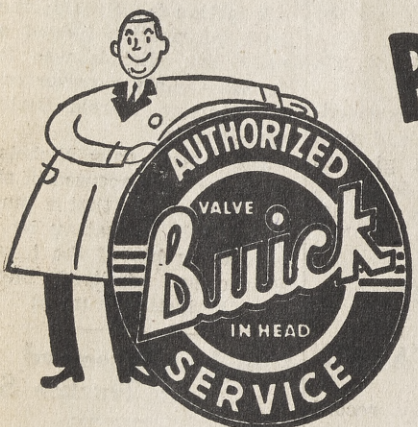


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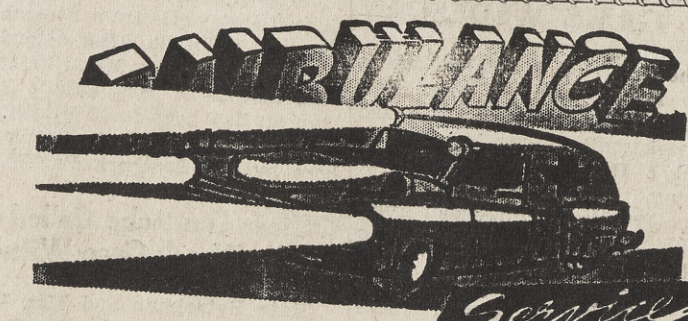
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## State Highway Deficiencies Still Rapidly Increasing

by HENRY MacARTHUR / SACRAMENTO — (C. N. S.)— Everyone has known for a long time that California's highways are deficient, but up until now, the public has not had access to a comprehensive report outlining all of the factors of deficiency which result in a \$3,416,382,000 bill over the next 15 years to bring the system up to standard.

Such a report has been present-

ed to the Joint Fact Finding Committee on Highways, headed by Senator Randolph Collier of Yreka, by the Automotive Safety Foundation, an organization with headquarters in Washington, D. C., which was hired by the Collier committee to make an independent survey.

Deficiency reports have been furnished to the legislature by the state division of highways, and

their content has been primarily the number of miles considered deficient, and the amount of money it would take to give the state a complete system.

### Half Billion in Year

The highway data was utilized by the foundation and brought up to date. The foundation points out nearly half a billion dollars of added deficiencies in comparison with the latest report of the highway division, which was made in 1951. The increase primarily is due to increased costs, plus increased usage of highways in the more populated areas of the state.

And one of the headaches the public is encountering at the present time is the fact that even the foundation's report will soon be out of date. For the report itself says:

"California has by no means reached the limits of ultimate expansion in either population, economic development, or travel. In consequence, any plan for current or future highway development which did not recognize these basic trends would fail the citizens of California and seriously jeopardize the health, welfare and safety of the state."

### What is a Deficiency?

The normal question regarding highway deficiencies is what does it mean? The foundation engineers base their conclusions that 12,067.4 miles of the state's total 14,187.6 miles of highway under state jurisdiction are deficient for three separate reasons.

First, the capacity of the highway is inadequate to handle the traffic at normal speeds.

Second, the highway is either now, or will be structurally deficient within the next 15 years, and must be repaired or replaced.

Third, the highway is unsafe because of sight distance restrictions, the accident rate is over three per million miles of travel, or if there are obstructions, such as floods, slides, narrow bridges or railroad grade crossings.

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In addition, there is the deficiency for bridges which must be posted as unable to carry a legal load at a legal rate of speed.

The speed with which California's highways have become deficient is shown by comparative figures. In 1946, 7,946 miles were deficient and the cost of bringing them to standard would have been \$1,721,000,000. In 1950, 11,298 miles were deficient, the remedy being \$3,016,937,600, as estimated by the division of highways. In 1952, 12,067.4 miles are deficient and the cost of remedying the situation has mounted to \$3,416,382,000.

In other words, there are only about 2,000 miles of state highway in California that are up to standard!

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"Two loves," he wrote, "founded two cities: the one, founded by the love of self carried even to the contempt of God; the other, founded by the love of God carried even to the contempt of self." The City of God and the City of Pride.

LOVE UNITES, and love divides. Those who love the same thing are close. Those who love different things are by that very fact pulled apart.

Those who love only themselves can never be united, for their selfishness draws them away from everyone. But those who love God, and each other because of Him, are drawn in to ever closer union.

THE LOVE OF SELF is still at work. This self-love forms a city composed of men who live only for themselves. They can never know real peace, but only moments of equilibrium in their struggle to get more and more for themselves.

Yet, for the men of the City of God, peace is inevitable: as their love for God grows, so does their love for one another.

OUR WORLD TOO is a divided world, a world in titanic struggle. But we must not look upon it as merely the struggle between Communism and Democracy. The conflict is still between the Two Cities.

Some have called it the struggle between those who love God and those who love man. This is not true. Those who love God and who have faith in Him are the only ones who can really love man.

TODAY we are divided between those who love both God and man, and those who love themselves and no one else. We are divided between the City of God and the City of Pride. The men of the City of God, separated by continent, language, and even battleline, must draw closer and closer together. To do this we must love God to an ever greater degree.

If the City of God fails, then nothing else can resist the disintegrating effect of the City of Pride. Soon our civilization so dearly won, and our freedoms so highly prized, will be tumbled into the dust of History. (By Phillip J. Cunningham.)

† Paulist Information Service Washington 17, D. C.

## POWER COMPANY PREPARES FOR WINTER IN SIERRA

The first heavy snows of the winter have fallen in the high Sierra.

All summer the year-around residents of the mountains have had half their thoughts on winter. They have been laying in wood, reinforcing their roofs and making similar preparation.

The Pacific Gas and Electric Co. is no exception. With miles of power lines, gas lines and canals to keep in operation, the first few white flakes bring thoughtful frowns to PG&E officials.

During recent months they have been building up their arsenal for their annual cold war.

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3. Four hundred new pairs of snowshoes and 70 pairs of skis for the hardy mountain men who patrol the lines on foot in places where even the Sno-Cats cannot go.

In addition to adding new equipment, the company has been fortifying its position by clearing overhanging trees from the power lines, adding emergency power lines, standby gas plants and new

## TIMBER HARVEST'S VOLUME, VALUE SETS NEW RECORD

SAN FRANCISCO— Timber harvest on national forests for the third quarter, both in volume and value, has reached an all time high according to the U. S. Forest Service quarterly report.

Approximately 1.6 billion board feet of timber valued at \$22.7 million was cut in national forests

gas lines.

At the peak of the fight, PG&E will have 2,000 men out patrolling the lines and waterways by snow-sco, skis, Sno-Cat and trucks, locating and repairing the inevitable damage that winter always brings.

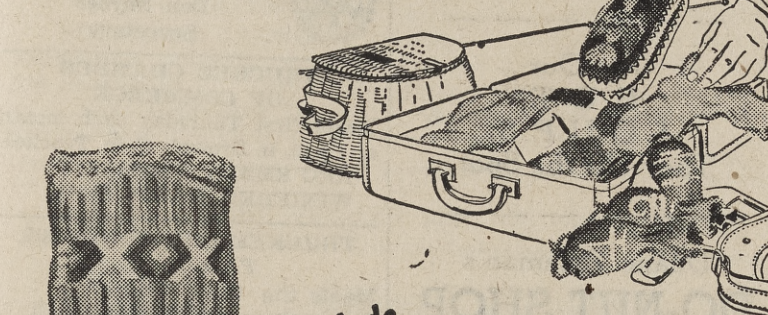
## Infant Mortality Rate Is Below Average

SACRAMENTO — (C. N. S.)— The state department of public health Tuesday announced that California's infant mortality rate during 1951 was 24.5 per 1,000 live births. This compared with the 1946-50 yearly average of 28.1.

The 1951 rate was lowest in Berkeley, where there were eight deaths per 1,000 infants per year or less. San Jose was second lowest with 16.5.

during the three months. Previous volume high was 1.4 billion feet in the same quarter of 1950, while the previous value high was \$19.3 million in the final quarter 1951.

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## BUILDING LABOR SEEN ASCENDANT UNDER NEW ADMINISTRATION

by CLEM WHITAKER JR.  
President-Elect Dwight D. Eisenhower's stupendous victory has overtones of tremendous magnitude.

A two-party system undoubtedly has been born in the Deep South for the first time since the Civil War. For not only did Eisenhower carry a number of southern states, but of greater significance, a large vote was cast for him in every southern state. A virile two-party system in the south, now a possibility, would remake the entire political complexion of the nation.

Another exceptionally significant factor in the Eisenhower victory concerns labor. This was the first presidential reversal for the powerful CIO Political Action Committee and the AFL's League for Political Education. It means that the AFL labor leaders who smashed all tradition in forcing an endorsement of Adlai Stevenson and the CIO leaders who always have strung along with the Democratic stand a good chance of being removed from office.

Labor obviously voted heavily for Eisenhower and the labor men and women who so voted may very well be inclined to produce new leadership which will be able to cooperate with the new Republican administration.

According to Washington reports, the GOP labor advisory committee, formed by National Chairman Arthur E. Summerfield, will play a big part in coming labor matters pertaining to the national government. This committee consists of the following men about whom more will be heard: Maurice Hutheson of Indianapolis, president of the AFL Carpenters Union; Richard J. Gray of Washington, president of the AFL Building Trades department; Sal Maso of New Jersey, president of the New Jersey Building and

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Construction Trades Council; David Bodary, national legislative representative for the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen; and John Lamm, a union lawyer from Illinois.

New faces also will appear in cabinet posts and throughout government. The greatest guessing game in the nation these next few weeks will concern the men or women who might fill the top spots. Some of the people almost certain to be offered high governmental posts are John Foster Dulles, Governor Sherman Adams of New Hampshire, Senator Fred Seaton of Nebraska, Governor

## New Prison is Proposed in Yolo County

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)—The department of corrections has selected Yolo County as the site for a new medium security prison, which will be located somewhere in the area between Davis, Woodland and Winters. Acreage to house the establishment is being sought at the present time.

Thomas E. Dewey of New York, Governor Dan Thornton of Colorado, Ex-Senator Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. of Massachusetts, and perhaps Governor Earl Warren of California.

Everyone has a pet choice, just about, for the various posts. But if they will accept appointments, the men named above, most observers agree, stand the best chance of being called to Washington for the top jobs.

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The 10-day pheasant season is expected to draw participation from 200,000 shooters. Daily bag limit is two male birds. In 12 central and southern California counties, the daily bag may include one hen.

Until the pheasant hunting season ends December 1, shooting hours for all species of resident game will be from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in all counties north of San Luis Obispo, Kern and San Bernardino. Elsewhere, legal hours remain from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

Quail hunting ends December 1 in Districts 22, 4 1/2 and portions of 4; December 15 in northeastern District 1 1/2 and December 31 elsewhere.

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Sharing the \$1500 fine and 15 day sentence were George Hettinger, Buford B. Bergen and William H. Bishop, all of Portola. They were arrested in Plumas County Refuge IV by State Fish and Game Warden Chester Ramsey, George Shockley and Paul Kehr.

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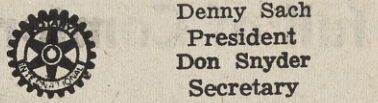
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## Notice For Payment of County Taxes

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one half of the taxes on all real property for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952 and ending June 30, 1953 will be due on November 1, 1952, and will be delinquent on the 10th day of December, 1952 at 5 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto six percent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the 20th day of January, 1953, and will be delinquent on the 20th day of April, 1953 at 5 o'clock p. m. Unless paid prior thereto six percent will be added to the amount thereof together with a further charge of \$1.00 for each lot, piece or parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property. All taxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided is due and payable.

Taxes are payable at the Treasurer's and Tax Collector's office, Nevada County Courthouse, Nevada City, California.  
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# FOREST FIRE RECORD THROUGH STATE IS VASTLY IMPROVED

Smokey Bear has gone into hibernation with the coming of rain and snow in the California national forests. The same storms that sent the Fire Prevention Smokey Bear into hibernation has made it possible for the Forest Service to close the long dry fire season. Forest rangers are closing the mountain top lookouts and repairing and

storing fire-fighting equipment for the winter.

The area lost by forest fires on the national forests was far less than normally expected, according to M. M. Nelson, regional fire chief for the U. S. Forest Service. He burned as compared with ten times stated that only 17,000 acres were that amount in 1951. The number of forest fires, however, was 1,900 which is more than usual. This was because the season had so many lightning storms. There were 700 man-caused fires which showed an improvement from past years. But the number of carelessly caused fires is still far too great, Nelson said.

The Forest Service reported an especially good year for the northern California forests. There was only one fire which exceeded 1,000 acres, this on the Shasta National Forest. The total burn for all of the "timber forests" was 6,500 acres, burned over by 1,600 fires.

Burned acres and number of

# ANTICIPATE RETURN OF TIDELANDS TO STATE CONTROL

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)—What to do with \$46,000,000 in impounded tideland oil funds, should the tidelands be returned to the state of California, is high on the list of subjects to be considered by the California State Chamber of Commerce, it was announced here this week.

Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California, will head a committee which will discuss the problems during the annual state-wide meeting of the chamber in San Francisco December 4 and 5.

Spokesmen for the chamber believe the coming change of administration in Washington, D. C., will mean return of the tidelands of the states, an end the running fight between California and the U. S. Department of the Interior concerning the issue. Texas and Louisiana also are involved.

The chamber anticipates, that about 70 percent of the funds, which would become immediately available to the state if the federal government takes action, would be used for development of beaches and parks throughout California and for acquisition of more public recreational spots.

# 16 Inches of Snow Blanket Tahoe City District

TAHOE CITY—Sixteen inches fell at Tahoe City during the week-end, with 11 inches remaining on the ground Monday morning with clearing skies and chilling weather prevailing. The lake level stood at 6227.74 with 11 gates open. There were 2.88 inches precipitation recorded during the storms by A. E. Frodenberg, official weather observer.

Daily high and low temperatures for the week ending on Monday morning were Nov. 10th: 56, 26;

fires, in that order, for each of the northern California forests were:

Eldorado 217, 90; Inyo 429, 46; Klamath 246, 154; Lassen 8, 153; Mendocino 882, 79; Modoc 667, 119; Plumas 602, 206; Sequoia 103, 113; Shasta 1275, 168; Sierra 458, 153; Six Rivers 148, 43; Stanislaus 910, 114; Tahoe 91, 94; Trinity 471, 105.

The record for southern California follows:

Angeles 18, 54; Cleveland 5196, 78; Los Padres 342, 40; San Bernardino 5450, 93.

# Leads Disabled Veterans For Coming Year



CINCINNATI — Floyd L. Ming of Bakersfield, Calif., World War II Seabee, takes over his duties as National Commander of the Disabled American Veterans here at DAV National Headquarters. Ming, 40, was elected by acclamation at the recent 31st national convention of the DAV in Boston.

11th: 55, 29; 12th: 40, 30; 13th: 40, 28; 14th: 32, 29; 15th: 29, 23; 16th: 33, 18; 17th: low 13.

# Carnelian Bay Woman Is New Notary

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)—The secretary of state's office has announced issuance of a notary public commission to Mildred Matthias, Box 483, Carnelian Bay, Lake Tahoe.

# LOGGERS WARNED TO TRY FOR BETTER RELATIONS

Log haulers on public highways face a serious public relations problem; Fred J. Grumm, Sacramento, consulting highway engineer, told the 43rd annual Pacific Logging Conference at San Francisco last week.

"Deservedly or not, the reputation of the log trucking industry with the people is bad," Grumm declared. "Some newspapers have helped build up in the public mind the idea that all log trucks are too large, their loads are too big, there are too many of them and they travel too fast."

Grumm, who recently finished a survey of the log trucking problem in six western states, said too few people hear about efforts within the industry to comply with the rules and "get out of the doghouse with the public."

He said the fact that responsible operators have excellent traffic relations on public road does not seem to "register" generally but "the whole industry gets tarred with the bad-relations brush."

What's needed, he added, is to "tell the public effectively what you are doing to improve road relations; that you are contributing to the state economy by developing a natural resource that is not going to be exhausted rapidly but is renewable, and that, consequently, you're going to be here

# President to be Elected On December 15

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)—On December 15, the California members of the electoral college, 32 of them, will meet at 2 p.m. in

making lumber a long time, with steady employment for many people, paying plenty of taxes, and rebuilding, improving and maintaining many miles of county roads."

the state capitol and cast votes for Dwight D. Eisenhower for president of the United States. Thus an archaic provision of the U. S. constitution will have been carried out. Only difference in the four year procedure this time will be that Republican electors are casting ballots for the first time since 1928, when the ballot was cast for Herbert Hoover, who in that year defeated Al Smith.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

# Going ... Going ... Almost Gone

Granny Robinson put on quite a show the other night at the annual White Elephant auction held at the Women's Club.

Towards the end of the evening, she had the ladies battling for anything she put up. "What am I bid for this woman's lovely black coat here—good as new? Who'll say ten dollars?" she asked.

Granny held the coat up, and commenced describing the coat's lining, sleeves, buttons—really "selling hard." Then, suddenly, she took a close look and blurted out "Land sakes, no more bidding

please—this is my own coat!" From where I sit, what almost happened to Granny was good for a laugh, but sometimes when people "get carried away" with their own talk it's not so funny. I prefer a glass of temperate beer while listening to my favorite radio program—you may like soda pop—or cider. I suggest we hold on to our personal opinions—and believe in them—but take a good close look at them before we try to "sell" them to our neighbor!

Joe Marsh

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The actual owners of Standard Oil Company of California now number 115,942—which is 17,000 more than just two years ago. They include 283 universities and other educational institutions; 236 churches and religious organizations; 1825 small and large businesses; 159 hospitals and other medical groups; 10,876 employees of the Company, and 102,563 other individual citizens, few of whom could be called rich. The great number of our shareholders are people like your own friends and neighbors—

yourself, perhaps—mechanics, clerks, farmers, white-collar men, widows, men and women who have retired. ¶ In another sense, of course, the "owners" of the Company are our customers, who, in effect, control it and receive its benefits. You control Standard by your choice of brands. You benefit by the quality and economy of the products we sell. The only way we can look after the interests of our shareholders is by making sure that Standard serves you well.

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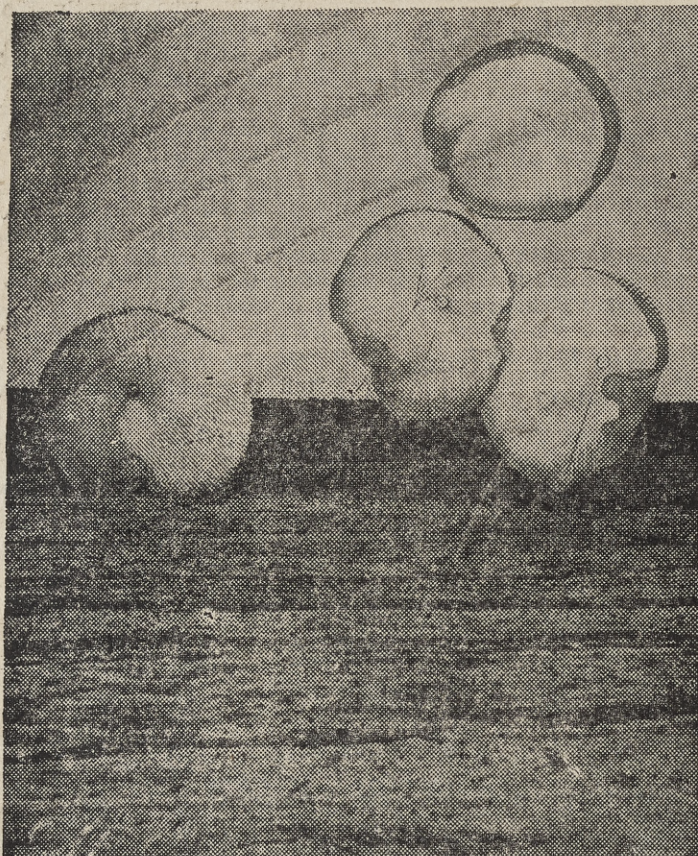
## TAHOE TAX FACTS FORUM THEME AT MEET TONIGHT

TAHOE CITY—The Lake Tahoe Sierra Chamber of Commerce tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock is sponsoring a friendly forum for discussion of the area's tax problems and questions. The meeting will be held at the Tahoe Community Center at Tahoe City and everyone interested has been invited to attend and participate.

Carol Raymond, secretary-manager of the chamber, announces that a prominent group of officials has been secured to head the various panels of discussion. They include:

Bert Foster, deputy state controller, who will represent the governor's office; Frank Erwin, state fair's counselor for the California Taxpayers Association; Thomas Sidwert, El Dorado County tax collector; Andy Robinson, El Dorado County supervisor; L. L. Anderson, Placer County supervisor; Lloyd Geraldson, Placer County assessor, and others.

The Truckee and El Dorado County chambers of commerce have been extended a special invitation and W. A. Loynd, president of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, has agreed to have



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CRYSTAL BAY—Crystal Bay residents were without electrical power for two and a half hours on the evening of November 12 when a power line short-circuited and set a pole on fire.

The trouble was believed caused by a defective insulator which sent 13,000 volts of electricity through the pole cross-arm. The pole began to burn at the top and threatened to drop the "hot" wires on adjacent properties.

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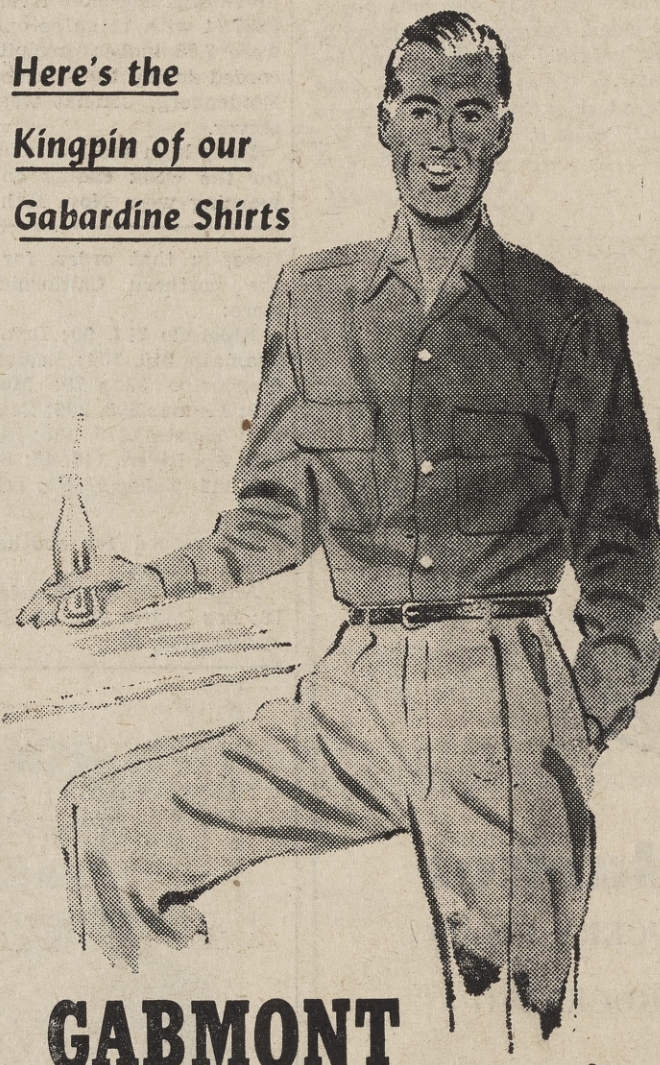
Last week—American Education Week and Book Week—we talked about America and our opportunities here. We also discussed books and we each started a book report. We studied posters about Book Week and talked about freedom of the press in our country.

Jimmy Schull told us something about the show at the Cow Palace in San Francisco. Carrie Helgren told us about the city of Santa Rosa and Sonoma County.

The upper grade pupils are now writing letters to each of the cities in California and asking for information right from the source about various parts of California as part of social studies.

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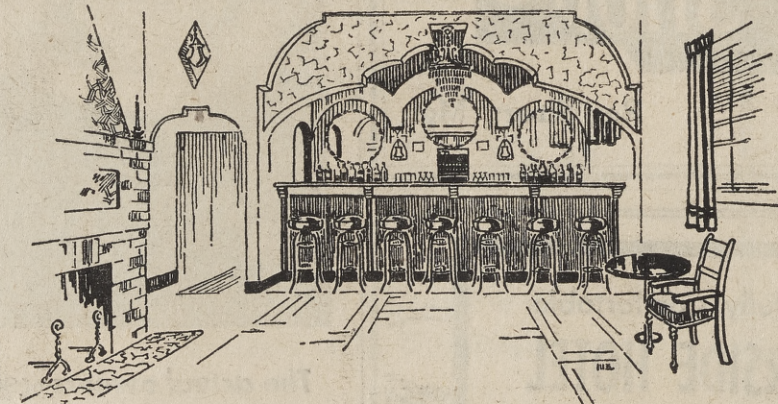
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Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:  
Northside Highway No. 89, King's Beach, Placer County, California.  
Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage licence (or licences) for these premises as follows:  
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Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such licence(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.  
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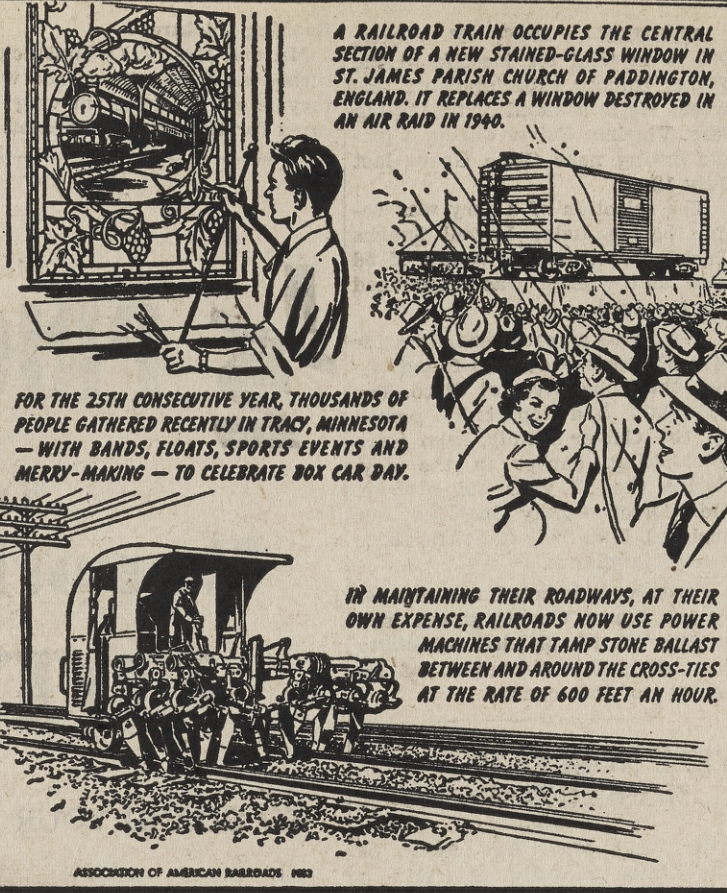


## My Place In the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

Among our pleasantest memories of 1951 was the Wyethia Club's Gay Nineties Revue... which was favorably written up in the October edition of the California Clubwoman... Frank L. Titus calls my attention to a classified ad in another journal... which read "FOR SALE—A cottage by a gentleman with a big bay window"... The new street light high and bright over the main street... on the pole in front of the Masonic Temple... is attracting a lot of attention... for more on the same, I refer you to the Truckee Public Utility District ad in this issue of the Sun... It isn't news, but it was new to me... that Mrs. Minnie Coleman and her partner, Mrs. Nottley, who own the Riverside Hotel here, also operate a hotel on Eddy Street in San Francisco... the Jefferson... Vina Clepper helping Charlie Fink get together a batch of merchandise for transfer from Loynd's Truckee Drug to Loynd's Kings Beach... Rex Reid supervising the reconstruction... from the ground up... of the interior of the Smith building which was blown up and out last winter... workmen maintain a discreet fire on the ground to warm their manual digits (anyone else would call 'em fingers)... on these 10 and 12 degrees above mornings... Joan Rose, after closing up Bud's Fountain for the evening, polishing the chrome to a mad Latin number on the big juke box... The battery of Al Wakefield pitching and Tony Pace catching... shooting cases of groceries down

## Rail oddities



FOR THE 25TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR, THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE GATHERED RECENTLY IN TRACY, MINNESOTA — WITH BANDS, FLOATS, SPORTS EVENTS AND MERRY-MAKING — TO CELEBRATE BOX CAR DAY.

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## REALIGN, WIDEN '40' SOLONS ARE TOLD IN SURVEY REPORT

SACRAMENTO—Improvements calling for the virtual rebuilding of U. S. Highway 40 over the Sierra Nevada mountains are advocated in the Automotive Safety Foundation's report on California highways.

The report, being studied at a hearing of the joint legislative fact finding committee on highways, recommends a four-lane U. S. 40 and a realignment to eliminate dangerous curves.

The committee is meeting in the state senate chamber under the chairmanship of Senator Randolph Collier of Siskiyou County.

### Northeast of Gold Run

The foundation analyzed Highway 40 particularly in the area northeast from Gold Run. The road was found to have traffic 50 per cent over capacity and was considered to be deficient for safety reasons because of poor alignment and restricted passing opportunities.

"It is proposed this road be replaced by a four lane facility, either a mountain section or four lane divided type, whichever is more economically feasible in respect to construction costs," the report states.

"Because of the existing poor alignment, major line changes must be made to provide adequate sight distance and desirable operating conditions."

### Access Control

It was stated the highway does not have to be of freeway design but there should be control of access through channelization and service roads.

A tentative estimate of the cost was given at \$350,000 per mile for construction and \$68,000 for rights of way.

### In Nevada County

Total highway deficiencies in Nevada County amount to \$31,431,000, according to the report of the foundation.

The report, which gives the total deficiencies throughout the state as \$3,416,382,000, outlines the needs in each county of the state as to immediate and over a period of 15 years. The needs are based on a comprehensive study made by the foundation.

The report pointed out that California's growth will probably continue. By 1960 it is estimated the population will reach 14 million, with corresponding increases in highway miles traveled and highway use.

Figures for Nevada County show 134.9 miles of state highway in its limits, of which 128.6 are deficient. The cost of immediate deficiencies would be \$15,181,000 and for deficiencies over a 15 year period, \$16,250,000.

Figures Broken Down  
In addition, the report divides the needs of the county into rural and city deficiencies and also divides the needs as to rights of way and actual construction. For Nevada County, these are:

Rural rights of way, \$3,321,000; rural construction, \$25,760,000; city rights of way, \$850,000; city construction, \$1,500,000; total required for rights of way, \$4,171,000; total needed for construction, \$27,260,000.

In other adjacent and nearby mountain counties the following deficiency mileage and costs, respectively, were reported:

El Dorado, 180.8, \$23,275,000; Placer, 138.3, \$37,045,000; Sierra, 67.6, \$4,061,000; Plumas, 150.8, \$8,854,000.

Toll Roads?  
Meanwhile, reflecting growing public interest in the highway deficiency problems, the Placer County grand jury in its final report to Superior Judge Lowell Sparks recommended the state highway commission consider the construction of six toll roads in California for the purpose of alleviating overcrowded highways.

The jurors recommended two roads of four lanes each covering the length of the state and four roads of four lanes each covering width of the state. No specific locations were advocated.

## Bud Zorich at Ski Ranch For Coming Season

SODA SPRINGS—Bud Zorich, one of the veteran ski instructors on Donner Summit, announces he will be, this season, located at Donner Ski Ranch after six years on the Soda Springs Hill. He said he declined offers to take over Dodge Ridge or Peddler's Hill as these locations would take him away from home.

Zorich said that Edi Aro will continue to operate his ski school as in the past at the same location. Zorich said he will welcome his former students to his new spot on "The Hill."

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reading this week's and someone else will want to... Gladys Pedley again in the station wagon set... after a couple of weeks of jeeping, bussing, hitching and limping following her recent accident on the hill... and waiting for Alice Quilici to join her for lunch.

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A class of at least a dozen will be started at a salary of \$220 a month to learn fingerprinting, modus operandi and other techniques of identifying and catching up with the lawbreaker. The trainees get a raise after six months and then are expected to advance rapidly to higher positions.

There are 4,000,000 sets of fingerprints and more than 15 million names — many of them cross indexed between various aliases — in this nerve center of the state's law enforcement agencies. More than 300 police departments and 58 sheriff's offices rely on the bureau for identification service and all but the smallest ones are linked together on the state department of justice teletype system.

The trainee class is open to young people who have been residents of California one year and have a high school education. Experience in a fingerprint bureau may be substituted for as much as two years of the required education.

The class is open to both men and women but bureau officials say men take to the work somewhat better. Employment is in Sacramento only.

Applications are available from State Personnel Board offices in Sacramento, San Francisco and Los Angeles and all Department of Employment offices. They must be filed by December 13.

## State Vets' Loan Program Continues Uninterrupted

SACRAMENTO — (C. N. S.)—The state department of veterans affairs has estimated that farm and home loans to California veterans will total about \$6,500,000 per month until next spring.

The volume for October was 876 loans totaling \$6,946,806.

Department officials predicted the \$55,000,000 appropriated by the legislature would finance the program through the winter until sale of revenue bonds, approved as proposition one by California voters in the recent general election, can be effected.

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**Return Home—**  
Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Nelson have returned after a trip to San Francisco and southern California.  
**Home from Montana—**  
Mrs. Rex Thomas returned from Montana where she was called when her sister was seriously hurt in a hunting accident.  
**Birthdate Observed—**  
Mrs. Henry Loehr's birthdate was observed at a family gathering Sunday, November 16.  
**Move to Valley—**  
The David Ashton family of Kings Beach is now at North Sacramento.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank my friends for their thoughtful acts and expressions of sympathy during my recent illness.  
MRS. DAN SMITH

**BAYSINGERS MOVE INTO NEW HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Baysinger and family last week moved into their new home in Gateway Park. The new house was recently completed by Jergen Vind, local building contractor, and was one of his first projects since he was awarded his contractor's license. The three bedroom home is modern in every respect and has won the admiration of those who inspected it. It is located near the Tahoe Forest Hospital in an ideal setting of woodland.  
Baysinger is superintendent at the Stockton Box Company plant here.

**BUY AND USE CHRISTMAS SEALS!**

**JURY SUMMONED TO NEVADA CITY**  
Five Truckee and one Soda Springs residents have been summoned to appear for jury duty in the Nevada County superior court next Monday at 10 o'clock. They are Harold W. Steen of Soda Springs, C. M. Diaz, Bonnie V. Costa, Edith Riordan, Steve Cozzi and Norma H. Highfill of Truckee.

**Allocation for Parking Areas on Highway Made**  
The state highway commission has allocated \$8,100 to construct parking spaces along Highways 40 and 50 in El Dorado and Placer Counties where cars can stop to put on chains.  
The parking spaces on Highway 50 will be east of Placerville. In addition to parking spaces at one location on Highway 40, the money is to be used to widen two cuts as an aid to snow removal.

**INITIATION AT PYTHIAN SESSION**  
Pythian Sisters Summit Temple No. 79 initiated Martha Kasplan and Edith View as new members of the order at their November 13 session. Nomination of officers for the coming year followed and Mrs. Harry Smith and Miss Ella Waters were presented with gifts in honor of their birthdates.  
The degree staff put on a drill directed by Mrs. Jack Ellis and her original poem, welcoming the membership, was read by MEC Beverly Wilson.  
Mrs. Smith and Mrs. H. Ciardella served refreshments following the busy meeting.

**Home for Holidays—**  
Stanley Songer Jr. arrived home Tuesday from his Air Force base at New Mexico to spend a holiday leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Songer, here.

**CISCO SLAYING SUSPECT STARTS TRIAL IN PLACER**  
AUBURN—Harlo E. Perez, 29, is on trial for his life in the Placer County superior court this week. He is accused of strangling Mrs. Virginia Culver during a picnic outing near Cisco Grove last July 12.

The selection of a jury was begun before Judge Lowell Sparks Tuesday morning. A venire of 56 men and women was summoned for the trial.  
Perez was arrested shortly after Mrs. Culver's body was found beside the Yuba River at Cisco. The defendant had reportedly picked up the Culver family, who were hitchhiking, earlier in the day. Beside the 37 year old matron, the Culver family included her husband, Herschel, and their three young daughters.  
Perez was indicted for murder by the Placer County grand jury on July 25. He pleaded not guilty and not guilty by reason of insanity to the charge.

**YELL NOBLES IS HONORED BY BANK**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott of Chowchilla recently attended a Bank of America dinner held at Merced in honor of Yell Nobles, who has completed 25 years of employment with the corporation. Both men are former managers of the Truckee branch of the bank and the couples enjoyed exchanging news of their mutual friends.

**LIONS, LADIES TO VISIT IN AUBURN**

The Lions clubs will hold a Donner Zone ladies night party at the Auburn Veterans Hall on Saturday evening, November 22. Lions members from Folsom, Placerville, Diamond Springs, Colfax, Roseville, Grass Valley, Auburn, Truckee and Lake Tahoe will attend the gathering.

Entertainment will include a dinner to be served in the banquet room with the usual eating time festivities. Special entertainment numbers are being prepared by the visiting delegations.

**Closed Thursdays—**  
M. E. Brown announced this week that Brown's Cafe will be closed on Thursday of each week until further notice.

**Returns Home—**  
Jerry Zunino returned home today after visiting friends and relatives in the Sacramento area.  
**Booking Pictures—**  
Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Shattuck returned from San Francisco where they were booking moving pictures for the Donner Theater.

**Chamber of Commerce Meets Tonight at Six**  
Important business will be discussed at the Truckee Chamber of Commerce meeting to be held at 6 p.m. this evening at Brown's Restaurant. All interested persons are urged to attend.

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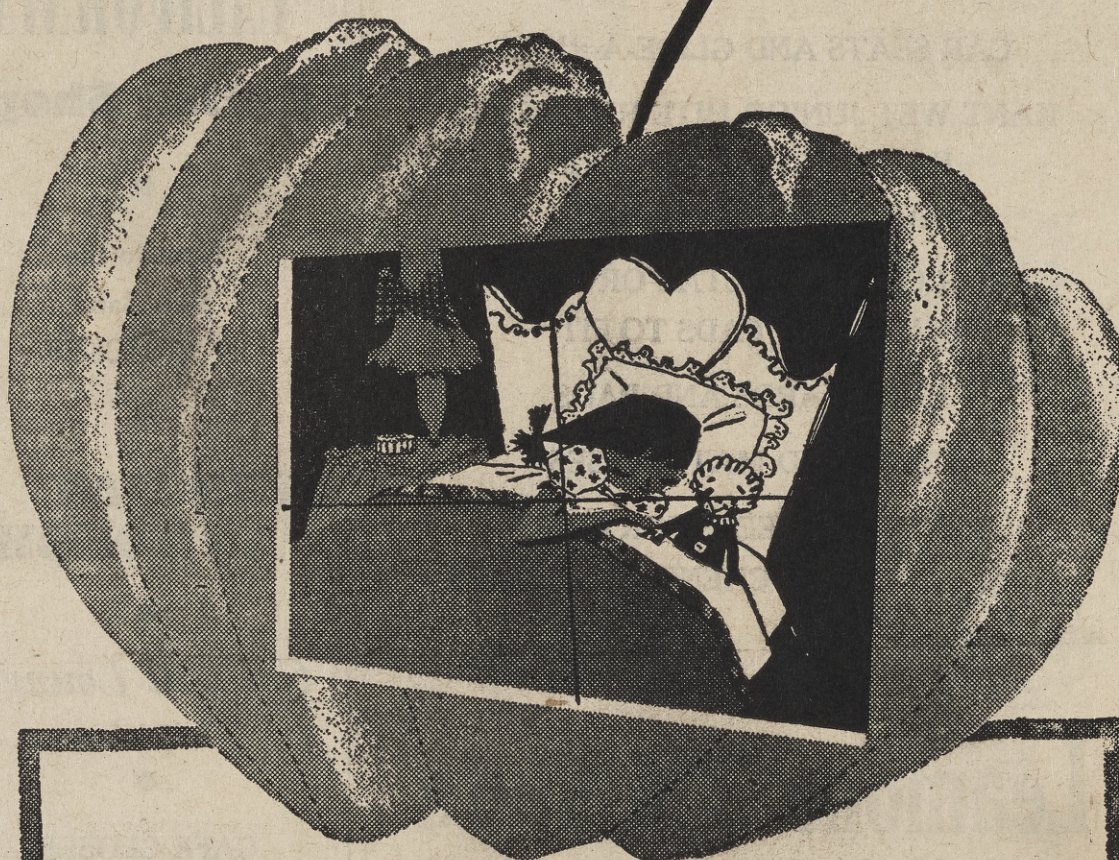
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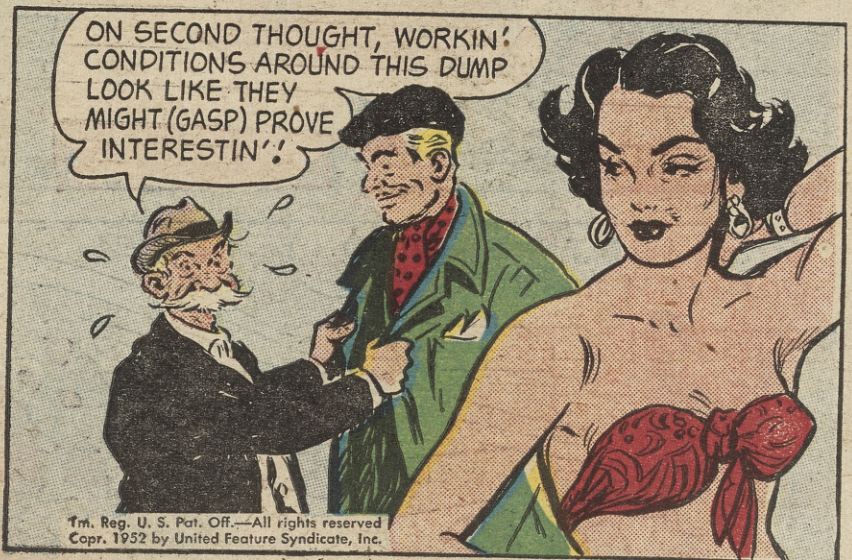
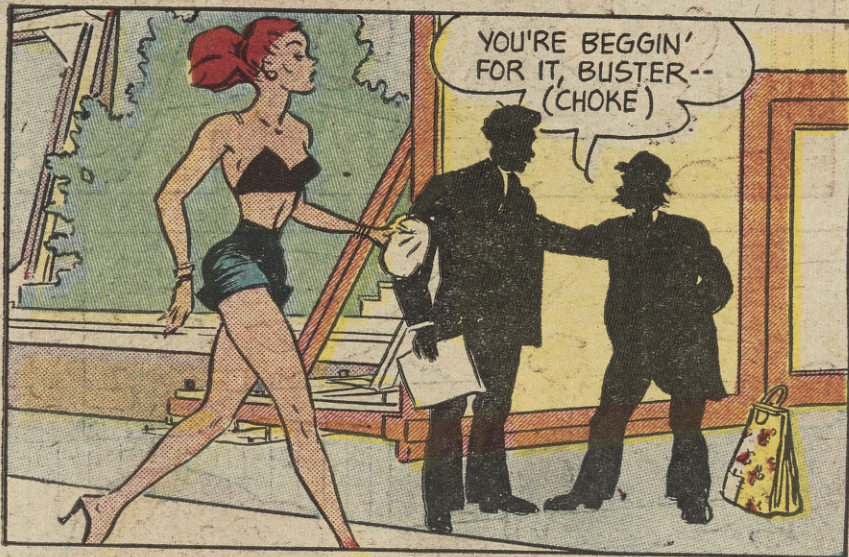
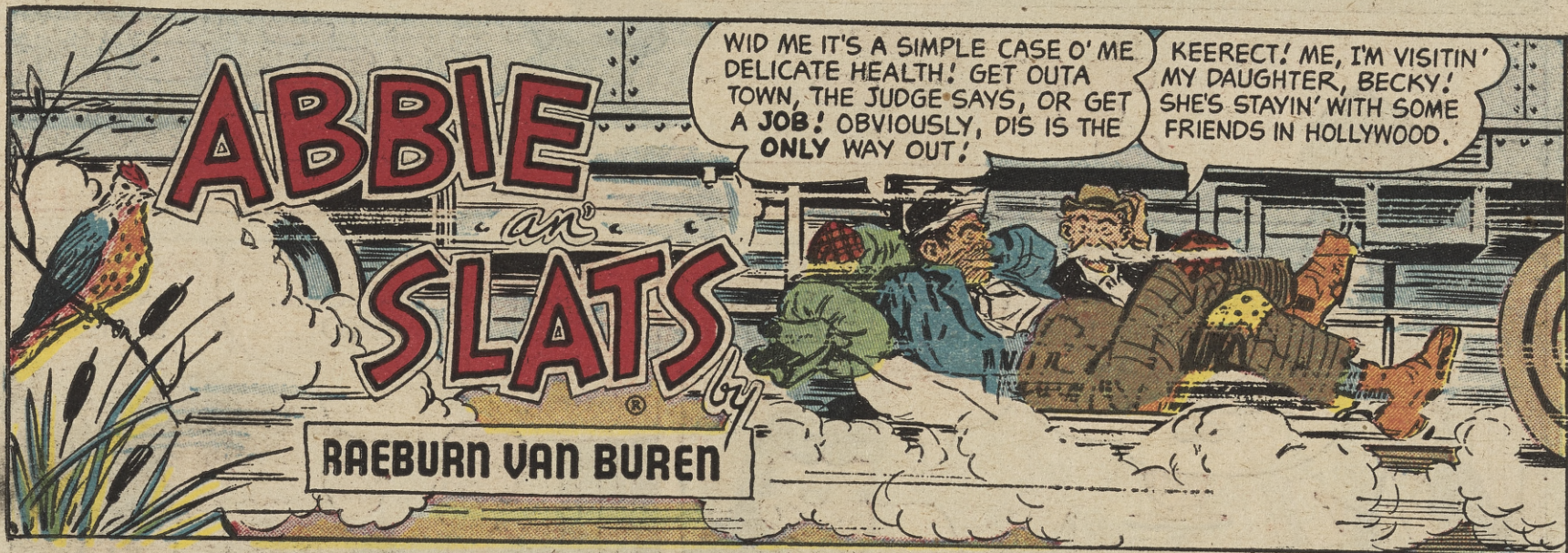


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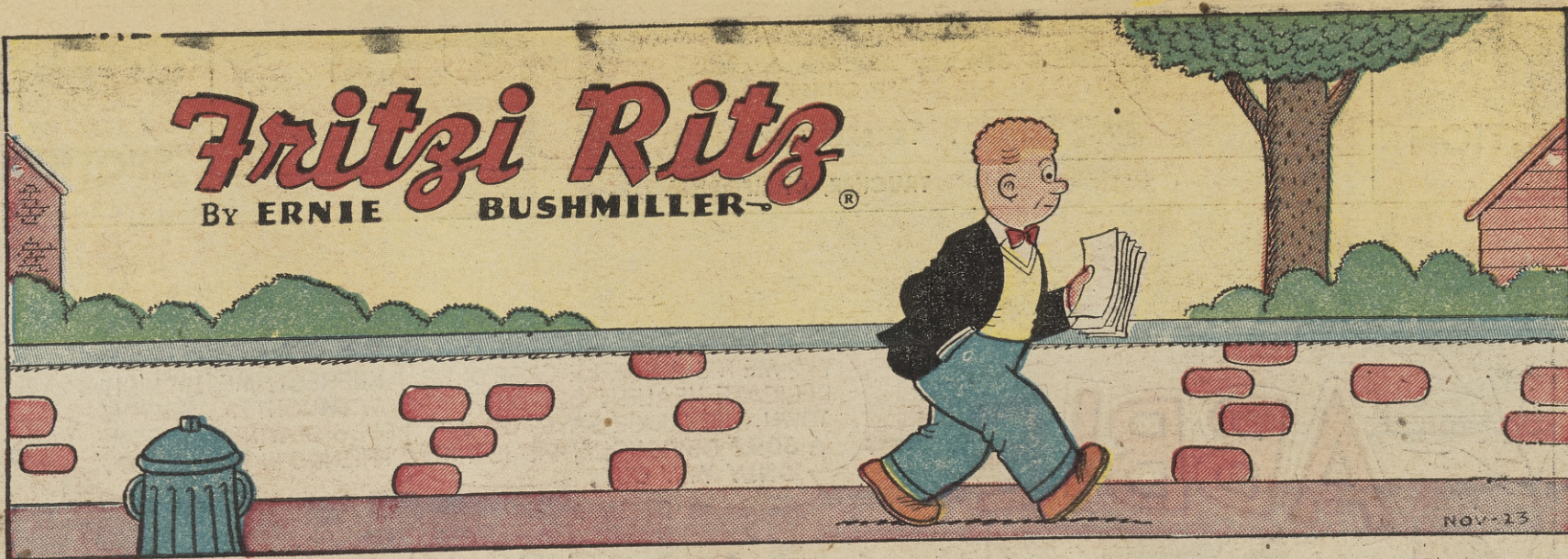


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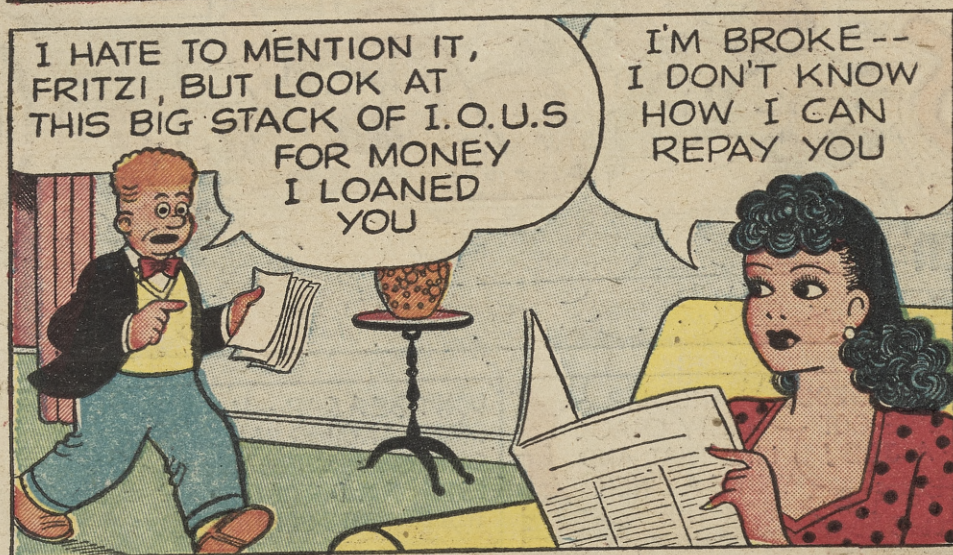
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I HATE TO MENTION IT, FRITZI, BUT LOOK AT THIS BIG STACK OF I.O.U.S FOR MONEY I LOANED YOU

I'M BROKE-- I DON'T KNOW HOW I CAN REPAY YOU



I KNOW IT-- I'M GOING TO CANCEL THE DEBTS AND THROW THESE AWAY

YOU'RE VERY SWEET, PHIL



THERE THEY GO INTO THE GARBAGE

OH, PHIL, THIS IS WONDERFUL



NOW ALL YOUR FINANCIAL EMBARRASSMENT IS OVER

YOU'RE **WRONG**



LOOK WHAT THE WIND DID WITH THEM!

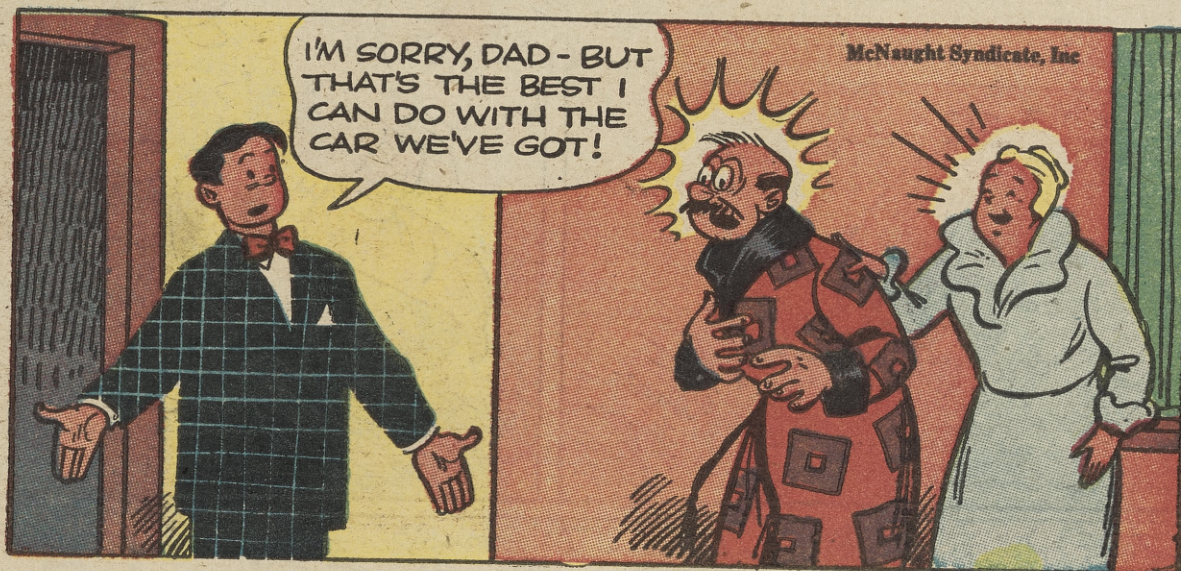
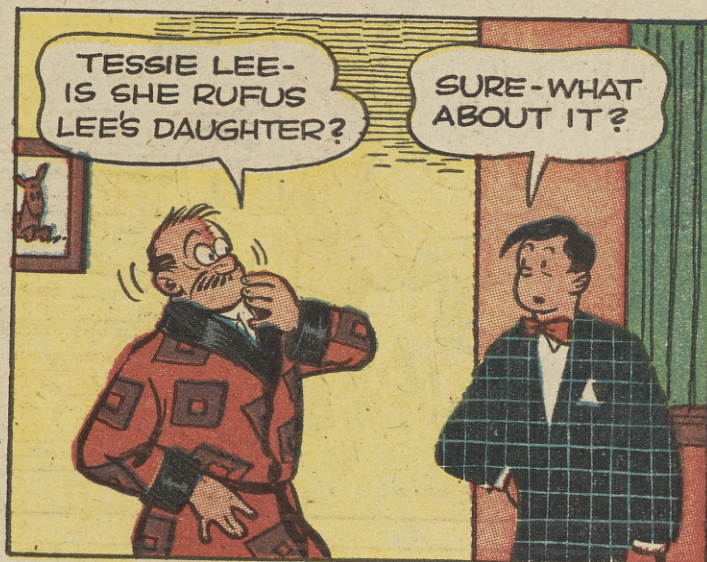
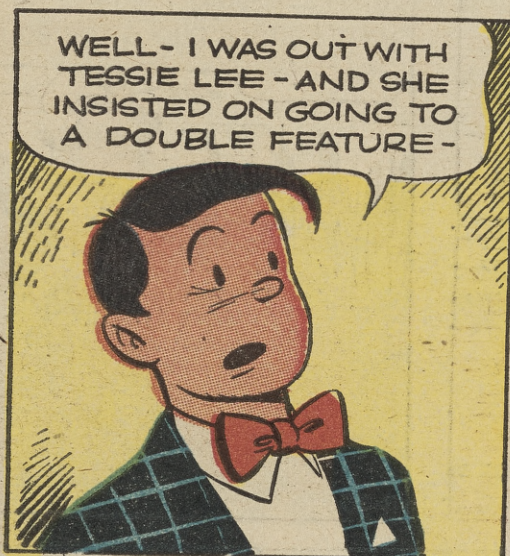
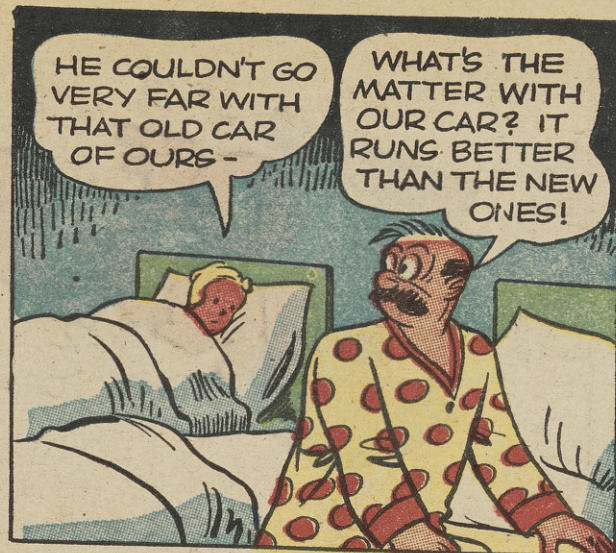
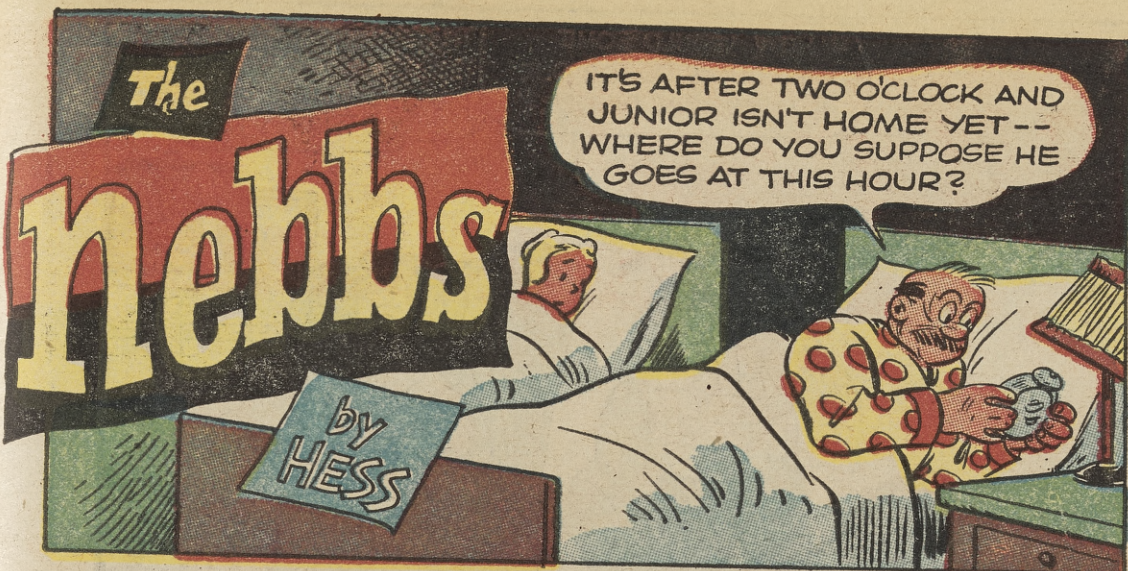
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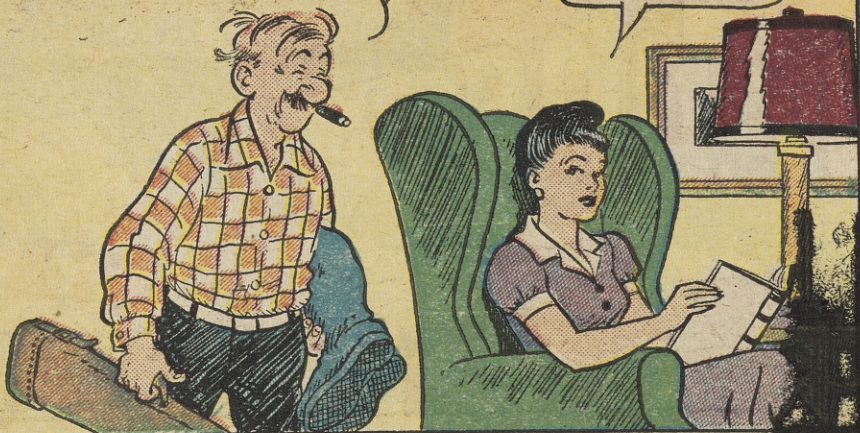


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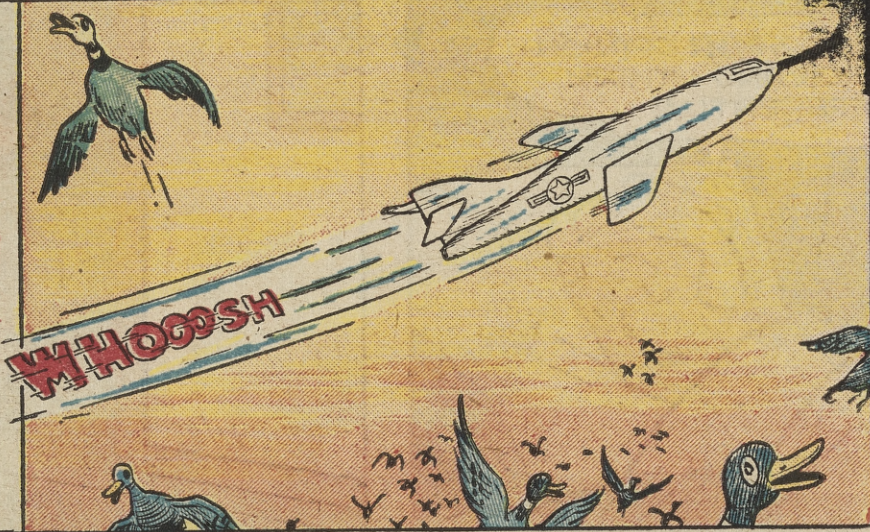
HENRY FORMHALS

HOW WOULD SOME WILD DUCKS DO FOR OUR THANKSGIVIN' DINNER?

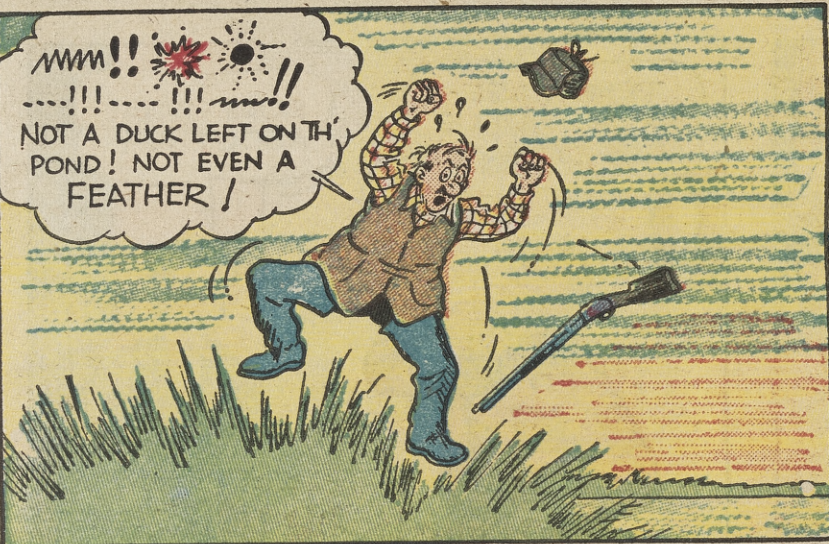
THAT WOULD BE GRAND— BUT TO BE ON THE SAFE SIDE I'VE ORDERED A TURKEY!



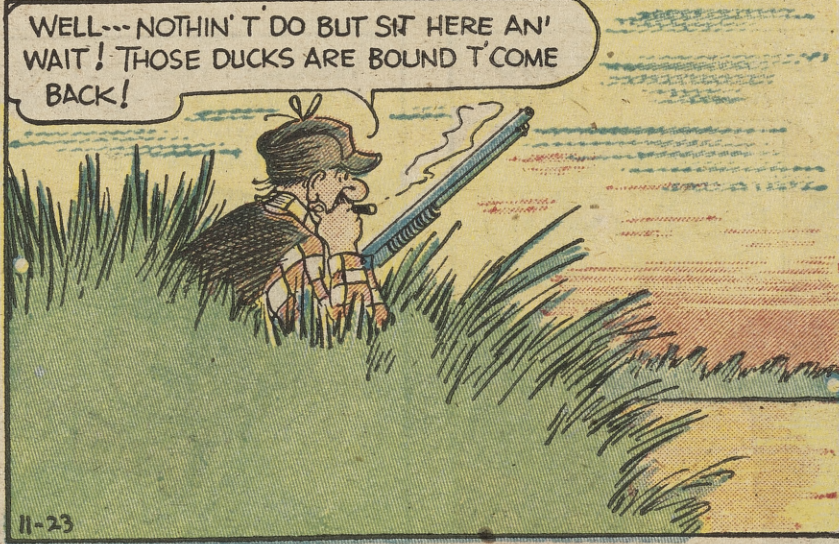
BOYOHBOYOHBOY! LOOKIT THEM DUCKS— AN' IT'S ONLY THREE MINUTES TILL LEGAL SHOOTIN' TIME!



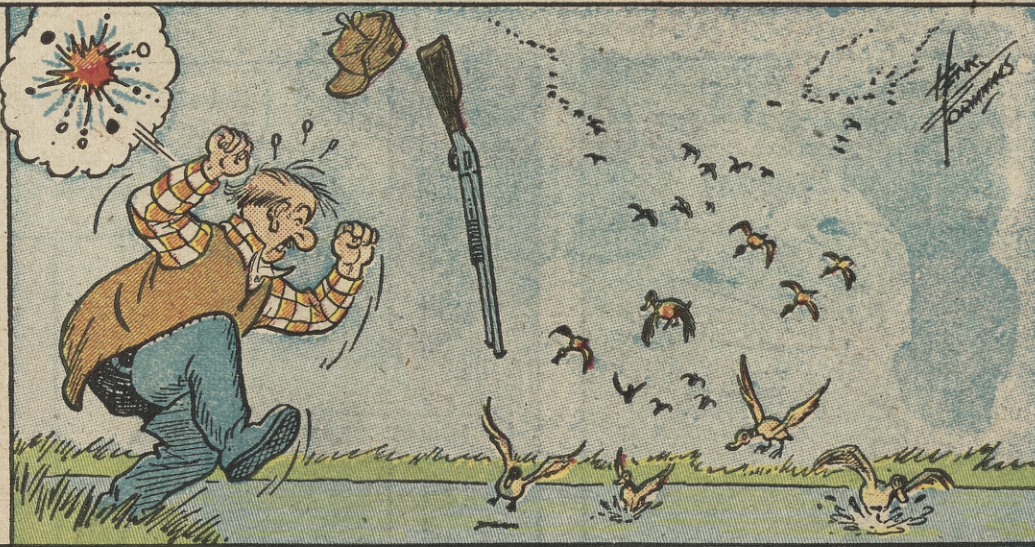
MMM!!! NOT A DUCK LEFT ON TH' POND! NOT EVEN A FEATHER!



WELL---NOTHIN' T DO BUT SIT HERE AN' WAIT! THOSE DUCKS ARE BOUND T'COME BACK!



WELL, TH' LEGAL HUNTIN' TIME'S OVER AN' TH' DUCKS NEVER CAME BACK! I'LL NEVER LOOK AT ONE OF THOSE DARN JETS AGAIN WITHOUT---



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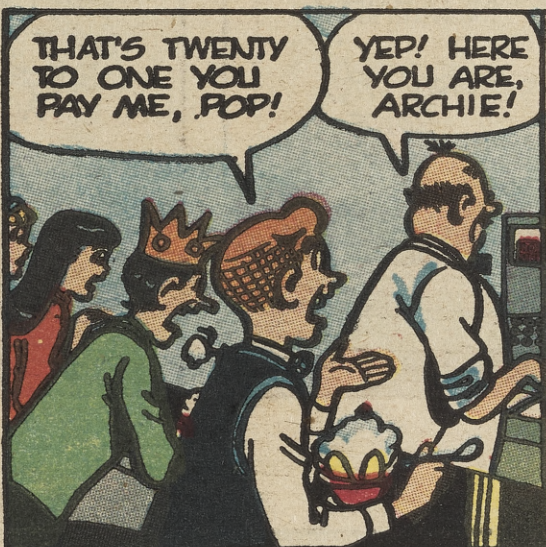
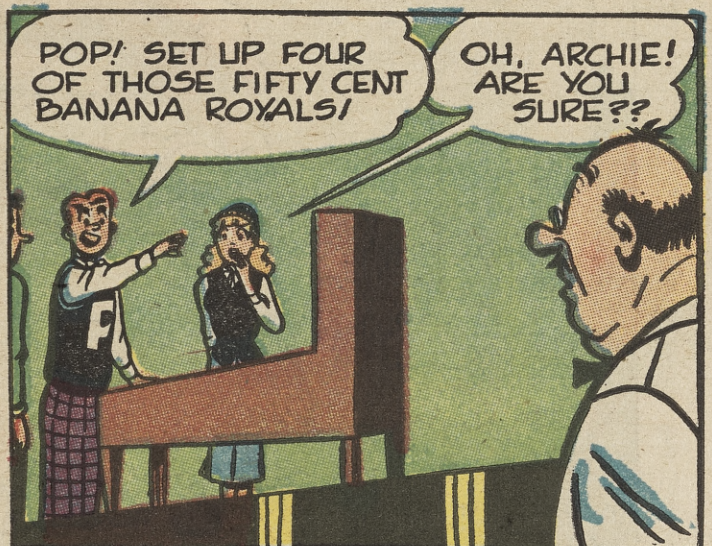
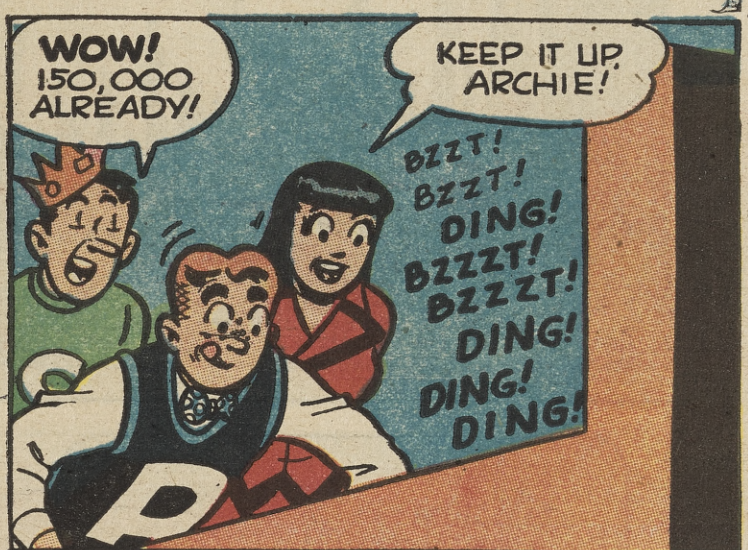
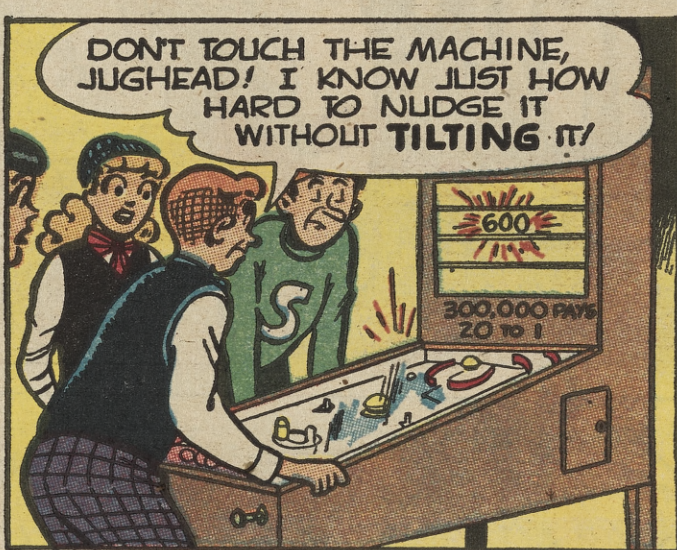
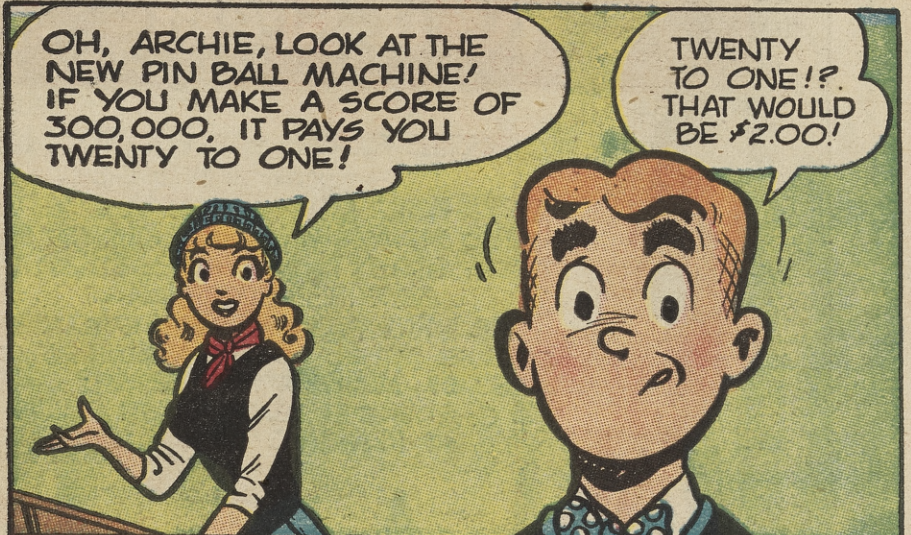






# Archie

by BOB MONTANA





# STRANGE

as it seems **ELSIE HIX**

THE FERTILE FLOATING GARDENS OF XOCHIMILCO--  
near Mexico City,  
WERE BUILT MANY YEARS AGO BY THE  
AZTEC INDIANS WITH MUD GATHERED FROM  
MARSHY EDGES AND HELD TOGETHER WITH  
GROWING VEGETATION...  
THE INHABITANTS, WHO STILL SPEAK A  
CORRUPT VERSION OF THE ANCIENT AZTEC  
LANGUAGE, MAINTAIN THE FERTILITY OF  
THE GARDENS BY ADDING FRESH MUD  
AT PLANTING TIME!

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**N**APOLÉON BONAPARTE  
WAS ACTUALLY  
ITALIAN BY BIRTH!  
THE ISLAND OF CORSICA  
WAS SOLD TO FRANCE  
A YEAR BEFORE HE  
WAS BORN...

NAPOLÉON USED THE  
ITALIAN SPELLING OF  
HIS NAME, BUONAPARTE,  
UNTIL HE WAS  
27 YEARS  
OLD!



VINCENT SWIDERSKI--  
of Monroe, Mich.,  
LOST HIS PARROT...

SIX YEARS LATER AS  
MRS. SWIDERSKI WAS WALKING  
DOWN THE STREET THE  
PARROT CALLED TO HER FROM  
A NEIGHBOR'S PORCH...

IN COURT THE PARROT  
ALSO RECOGNIZED AND  
CALLED BY NAME THE 3  
SWIDERSKI CHILDREN--  
WHEREUPON THE JUDGE  
AWARDED THE PARROT TO THEM

GALLIUM--  
A METAL,  
MELTS IN  
THE HAND  
LIKE BUTTER

YET ITS  
BOILING POINT  
IS 3,100°F.,  
THE INTERVAL  
BETWEEN MELTING AND  
BOILING POINTS BEING OVER  
3,000°F.!



THE CRESTED  
FLYCATCHER  
ALMOST ALWAYS  
INCLUDES A PART  
OR ALL OF A  
CAST-OFF SNAKE SKIN  
IN THE MATERIAL  
USED FOR ITS NEST...

JUST WHY  
NO ONE KNOWS!



TWO SPECIES  
OF ELM  
JOINED TOGETHER  
IN MIDAIR!

- Story City,  
Iowa -



BAKED CLAY  
TABLETS  
WERE THE  
FIRST BOOKS--  
USED ABOUT  
5,500 YEARS  
AGO!

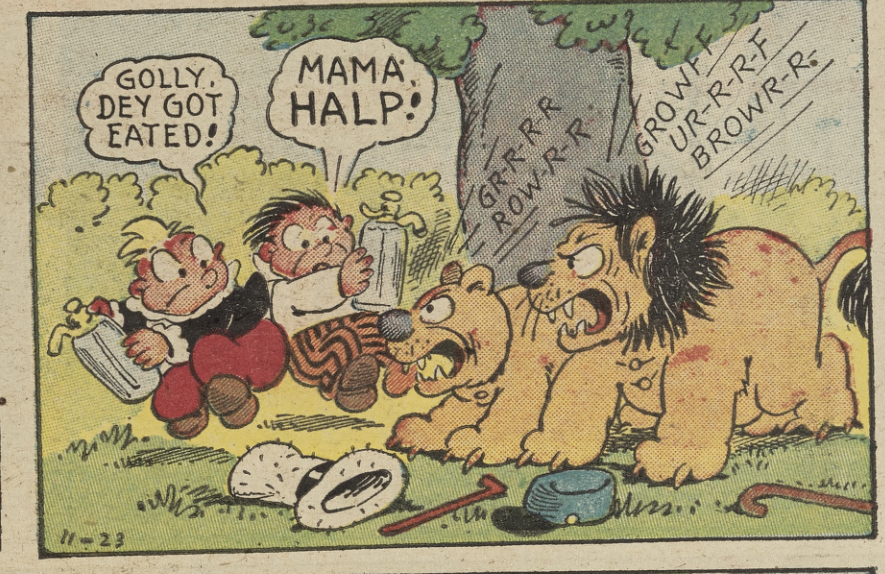
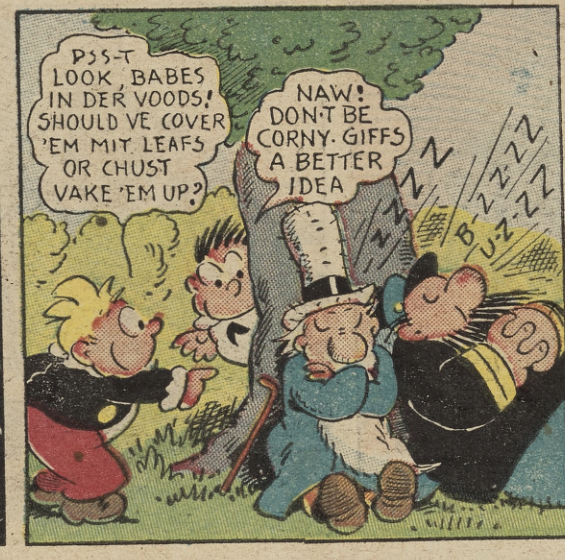
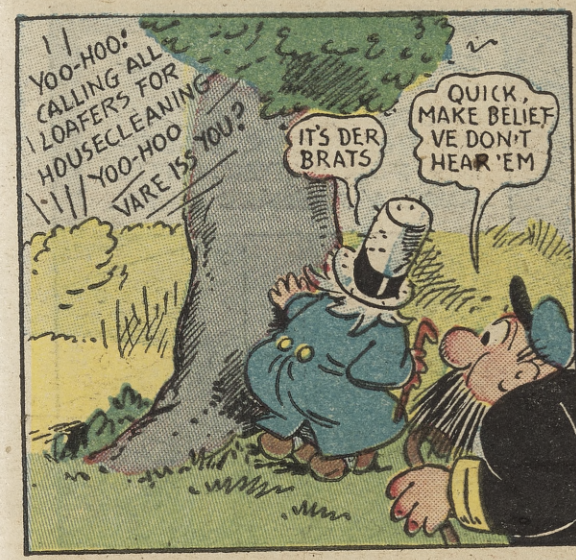
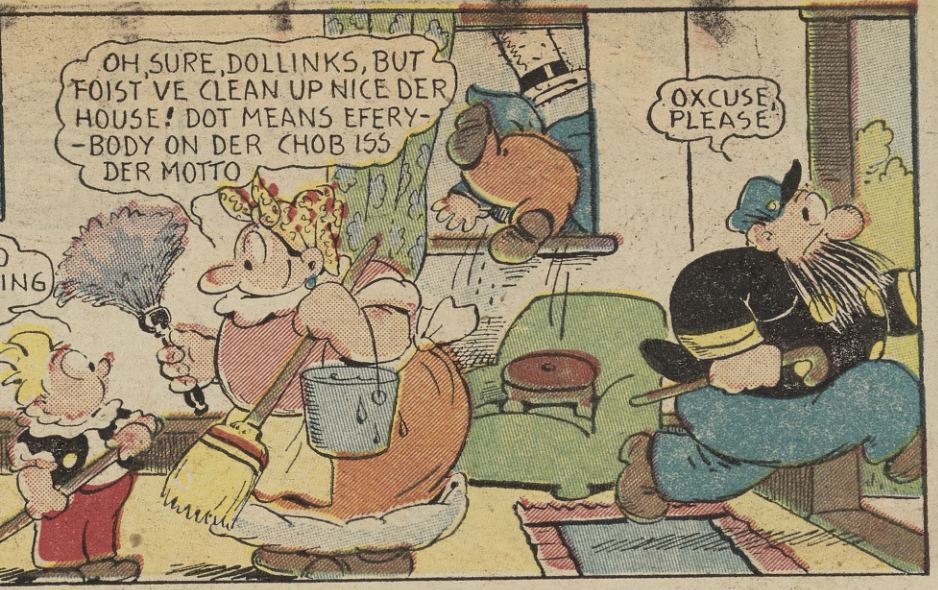




# THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

BY **FRANK DIRKS**

YOU PROMISED







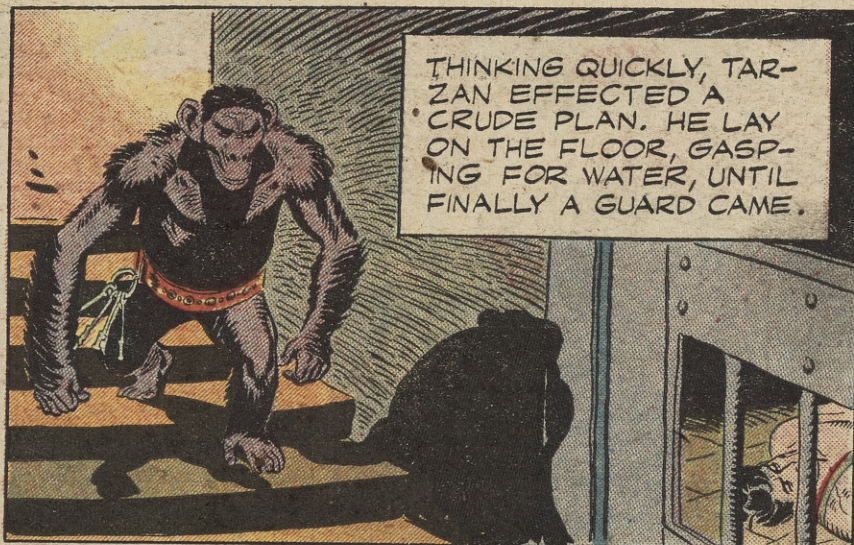
# Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

TARZAN AND IRENE LISTENED, WIDE-EYED, AS THE CRAZED SCIENTIST TOLD HOW HE WOULD USE THEM IN HIS EXPERIMENTS. "FIRST, HOWEVER," HE GRINNED, "THE GIRL WILL ENTERTAIN MY APE SUBJECTS AT THE DEATH DANCE OF THE DUM-DUM!"



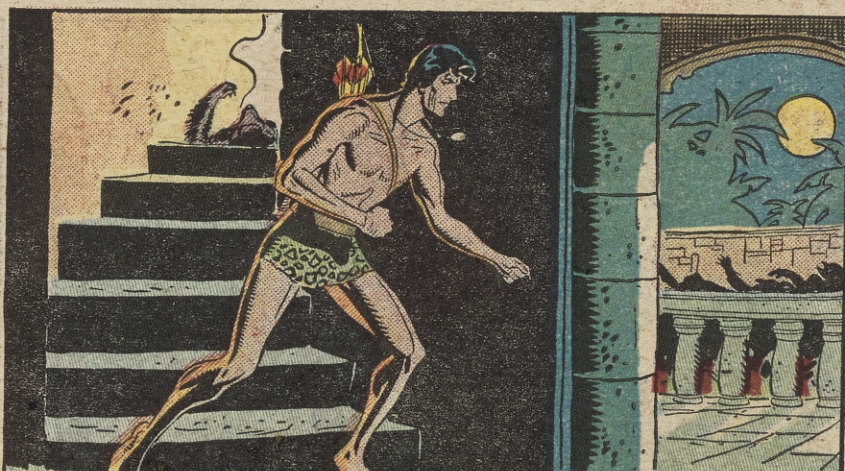
LATER, WHEN THE MOON WAS FULL, THE CREATOR SENT TWO APES TO DRAG IRENE FROM HER CELL!



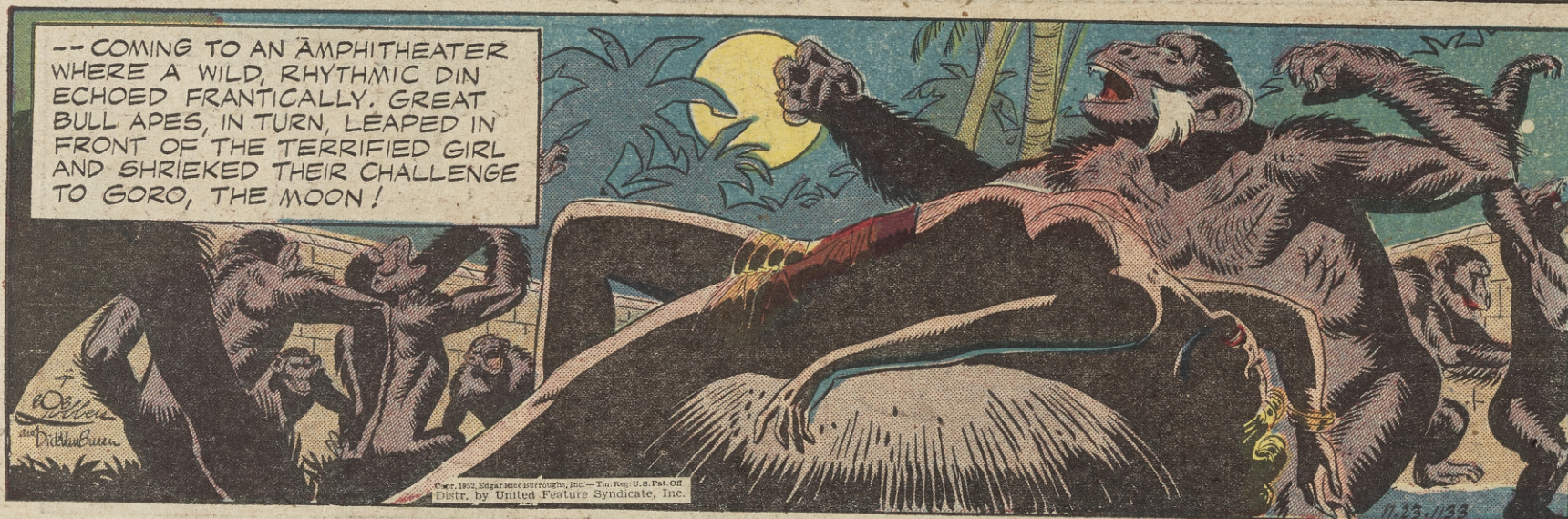
THINKING QUICKLY, TARZAN EFFECTED A CRUDE PLAN. HE LAY ON THE FLOOR, GASPING FOR WATER, UNTIL FINALLY A GUARD CAME.



AS THE APE PEERED THROUGH THE BARS, THE "SICK" CAPTIVE CLOSED STEEL FINGERS AROUND HIS THROAT!



TARZAN OPENED THE DOOR WITH THE GUARD'S KEY, THEN FOLLOWED THE NOISE OF EARTHEN DRUMS --



-- COMING TO AN AMPHITHEATER WHERE A WILD, RHYTHMIC DIN ECHOED FRANTICALLY. GREAT BULL APES, IN TURN, LEAPED IN FRONT OF THE TERRIFIED GIRL AND SHRIEKED THEIR CHALLENGE TO GORO, THE MOON!

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